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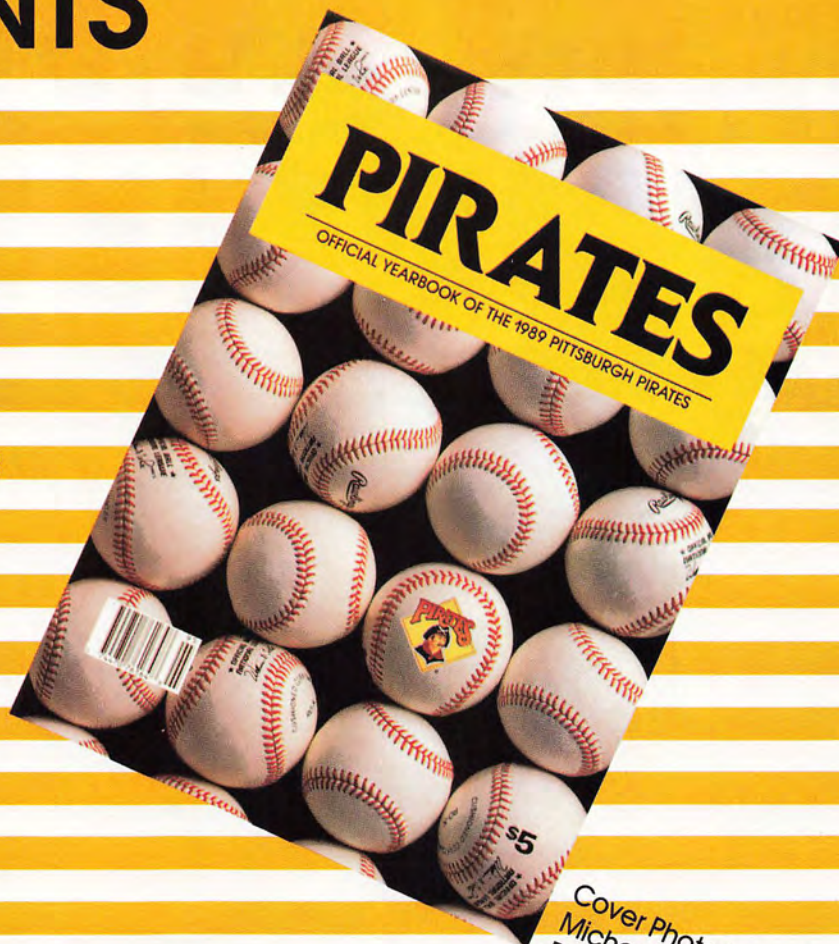


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- April 26th Family Buck Night
- April 27th Button Giveaway Night
- April 28th Fireworks Night
- April 30th Cap Day
- May 13th Seat Cushion Night
- May 14th Kenner Starting Line-Up Figures
- May 26th Mug Night
- May 28th Kids' Jersey Day
- May 29th Tailgate Party
- May 31st Family Buck Night
- June 11th Autographed Ball Day
- June 21st Family Buck Night
- June 22nd Button Giveaway Night
- June 23rd Car Sunshade Night
- June 24th Fireworks Night
- June 25th Sunglasses Day
- July 5th Family Buck Night
- July 6th Button Giveaway Night
- July 7th Instant Vacation Giveaway
- July 8th Relief Pitcher Night
- July 9th Cap Day II
- July 23rd Bat Day
- August 2nd Family Buck Night
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- August 5th Adult Shirt Night
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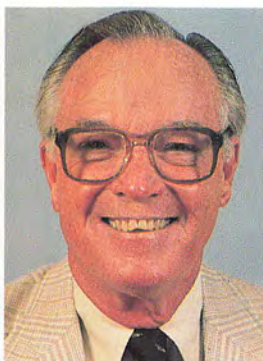
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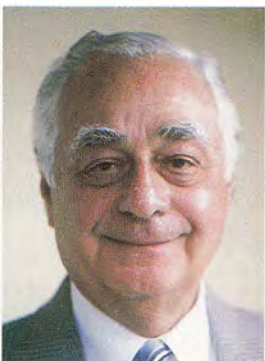
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GENERAL MANAGER



LARRY DOUGHTY was appointed Senior Vice President and General Manager for Baseball Operations by the Pittsburgh Pirates on November 7, 1988. He assumed the duties of the position on an interim basis on October 4, 1988.

His employment with the Pirates began on October 26, 1987 when he was named Assistant to the General Manager. In that capacity, he played a significant role in contract negotiations of major league players, the evaluation of major and minor league personnel, and the organization and operation of Pirate City (the club's spring training facility in Bradenton, FL).

"Larry had all the attributes we were looking for in a general manager," said team president Carl Barger upon announcing his appointment. "He has outstanding baseball knowledge and he is a consummate worker who is extremely well organized. He is also a team player in every respect and he enjoys the confidence of all those who have had an opportunity to work with him."

Doughty likes a strong farm system, occasional trades and experienced minor league instruction as the basic formula for building a winning team. He also believes it is important to find good athletes with a strong will to win and build your team around power and speed.

"My philosophy in baseball is to take players that our scouts sign and give them optimum conditions to develop into major leaguers," Doughty said. "The type of player we look for are good athletes who have power

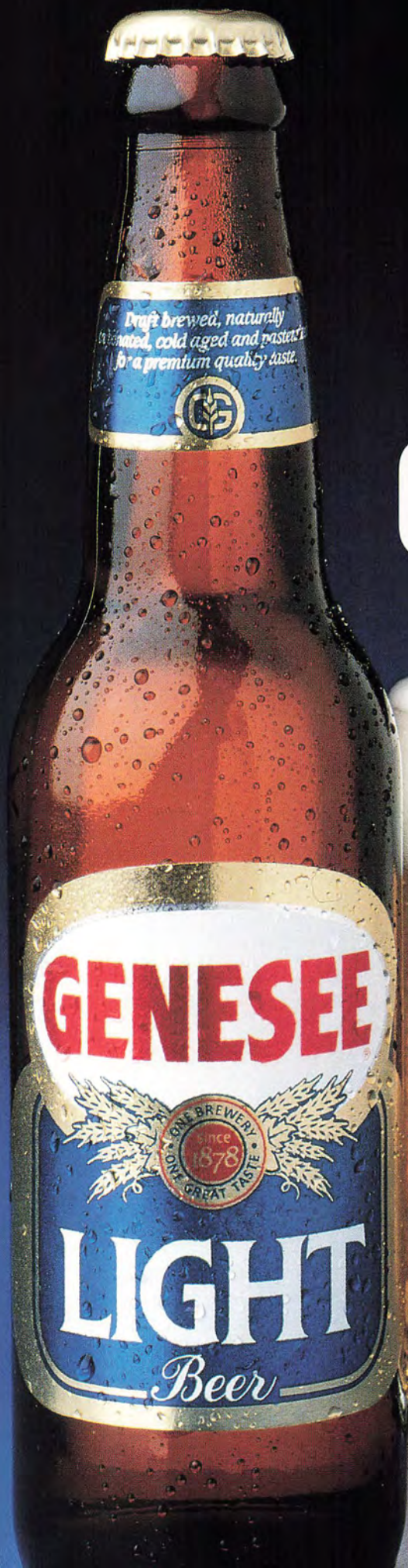
and speed as their two main raw ingredients. We hire instructors, managers and coaches who are development minded. Because of that, we are able to take crude young players with the tools we look for and teach them to do things our way."

Doughty came to Pittsburgh after spending 17 years in the Cincinnati Reds' organization. He was a scouting supervisor for the Reds in the southeastern United States for 12 years (1970-81). Doughty was named the assistant director of scouting prior to the 1982 season and he served as director of scouting for five years (December 1982-December 1987). During his years as head of the Reds' scouting department, the organization signed young stars such as Kal Daniels, Chris Sabo, Barry Larkin, Tom Browning, Tracy Jones and Kurt Stillwell.

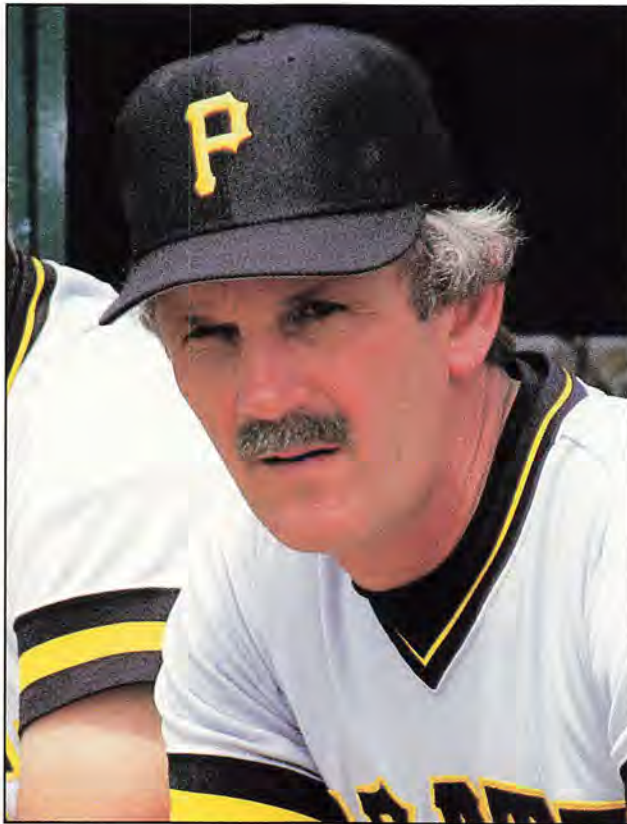
Doughty was born on January 21, 1940 in Bowling Green, KY. He earned a bachelor's degree (1962) and a master's degree (1964) from Western Kentucky University, where he also played baseball and basketball. Doughty taught and coached baseball and basketball at St. Joseph's High School in Bowling Green in 1961-62. He taught and coached baseball and basketball at Bowling Green High School from 1962 until he was hired by Cincinnati in the spring of 1970. Doughty guided Bowling Green High School to the 1965 Kentucky state baseball championship.

He and his wife Anna have two daughters, Laura (age 19) and LeAnna (age 16).

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M A N A G E R



Jim Leyland still considers it the most memorable moment in his three years as manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

It was October 4, 1987 and the scene was Three Rivers Stadium. The Pirates had just won a thrilling 4-2 decision over Philadelphia that afternoon to finish the season tied with the Phillies for fourth place in the National League's Eastern Division. At the conclusion of the game, the fans gave the Pirates a standing ovation that was as lengthy as it was loud. The ovation continued long after the Pirate players disappeared into the dugout runway. So long, in fact, that the team came back out on the field to thank the fans for their tremendous support and enthusiasm.

The moment was special for Leyland not because his club finished fourth. Indeed, this was a man with much loftier goals. Instead, it was special because he sensed for the first time that the city of Pittsburgh truly loved his team and he knew the feeling was mutual.

"There was a feeling that came over me at that moment that said 'hey, we're over the hump now,'" Leyland said. "We had worked so hard to get to that point, it was something that was extremely gratifying to witness."

In three short years, Leyland really has grown to love the city of Pittsburgh and its people. He appreciated the fact that Pirate fans gave him a chance to prove himself when he came to town as the little-known third base coach of the Chicago White Sox in the fall of 1985. Leyland moved here from his hometown of Perrysburg, OH, following the 1986 season and now says he is content to remain in Pittsburgh indefinitely.

"Pittsburgh relates very well to what this organization is trying to do because it is a hard-working city," Leyland said. "It's also a city of opportunity. When I first came here there were some people who questioned who I was and some callers on talk shows who couldn't figure out why I was hired, but for the most part they took the attitude... let's wait and see... let's give the guy a chance.

"That's probably the thing I liked the most about the people here. They gave me an opportunity to prove myself. You can't ask for more than that. You never know what is going to happen in this business, but I consider Pittsburgh my home. It will be my home for the rest of my life as far as I'm concerned. That's how much I like it."

Although his task is not complete, Leyland certainly has not let Pirate fans down since he arrived on the scene. His first Pittsburgh club went 64-98 and finished sixth, but it was an exciting team that worked hard, played aggressively and was significantly more entertaining than its predecessor. The Pirates continued to progress under Leyland's guidance in 1987. They played extremely well in the season's final months, finishing in the fourth-place tie with Philadelphia at 80-82.

The final 1988 standings provided further encouragement that Leyland, indeed, has the club on the right track. Pittsburgh finished second behind the New York Mets with a record of 85-75 and enjoyed a considerable amount of national exposure as a result of their improved play. The job Leyland did putting together his first winning season as a big league manager did not go unnoticed by his peers as he was voted The Sporting News Co-National League Manager-of-the-Year, an award he shared with Tommy Lasorda of the World Champion Los Angeles Dodgers.

The fact that the Pirates' won-lost record has improved in each of Leyland's three seasons hasn't occurred without a lot of hard work and a lot of changes. In fact, the club has undergone almost a complete facelift since he took over three years ago. Only seven players who were on the 24-man roster on Opening Day in 1986 are still in the organization.

"What I wanted to do when I came here was help build the organization up to where we were a serious contender year in and year out," Leyland said. "The big thing for me was for us not to be a flash in the pan. Obviously you're not always going to win it all, but you want to get to the point where



you're a real concrete, professional organization and I think we're well on our way. It's been a great experience so far. It's also been something I knew was going to take time and in a manager's position, you have to be grateful you've been given the time to do it."

Leyland is hoping the battle for first place in the N.L. East becomes a real dogfight in 1989. Like just about everyone else professional or amateur who looks at the race, he expects New York to play the role of the favorite. He also feels that the Pirates are going to need help from other teams in the division if they are to make up the 15-game gap between themselves and the Mets.

"It can't be just the Pirates to challenge, or just the Expos, or just the Cardinals," Leyland said. "I think everyone has to play pretty well to keep the race close. Everyone is going to have to beat New York a few more times, including us, obviously. If it's only going to be one team to challenge, then it's going to be awfully tough to dethrone the Mets.

"The key to the Pirates' success in 1989 is to believe in ourselves as we started to do in 1988. Experience is something you can't create. It has to happen. Our team will be better prepared to handle various situations in 1989 because of the experience we gained last year. I don't really set goals as far as how many games we have to win. I've never really been a big believer in that, but I do believe in hard work and dedication to the job. If you go about it in that manner, things usually work out for the best."

Leyland, 44, served the Detroit Tigers' organization as a player, a minor league coach and a minor league manager for 18 years before joining the White Sox staff in 1982. He received his first managerial assignment at age 26 when he took over Detroit's Bristol club in the Appalachian Rookie League in 1971. Leyland feels the most important lesson he learned in 11 seasons as a minor league manager was how to handle people.

According to Leyland, managing a baseball team is similar to managing a law firm or a major corporation. Normally, the people who are most



successful are those who know how to handle individuals and get the best out of them.

"Obviously our players have talent or they wouldn't be here," Leyland said. "My job is to figure out the best way to get that talent out of them. There's a real knack to that too because how you handle Andy Van Slyke on Thursday might not be how you had to handle him on Wednesday.

"You have to be prepared to adjust daily to the kind of mood the players are in. Because these guys are paid well and a lot of people come to see them play, we sometimes have a tendency to think they're superhuman. Well, they're not. They're human beings. They can have illnesses, problems at home, financial problems or things that bother them just like anyone else. You really have to take the time to try and recognize these things. That's why I work extra hard at touching base with every player every day during the season."

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PIRATE COACHING STAFF
(left to right)—Bruce Kimm,
Rich Donnelly, Gene Lamont,
Manager Jim Leyland,
Ray Miller, Tommy Sandt
and Milt May.

Pirate skipper Jim Leyland is a firm believer in delegating responsibility to his coaching staff. According to him, you don't have coaches just to have them. You have them because they can help you and then you put them to work. Leyland feels the six coaches on his staff are as good as any group in the majors.

"I don't think there is a coaching staff in baseball that is any better than mine," Leyland said. "They have a great repore with the players. They are very hard-working coaches and they are also very knowledgeable which is a great combination. I feel very fortunate to have them as resources."

RAY MILLER is in his third season as the Pirates' pitching coach. He managed the Minnesota Twins during parts of the 1985 and 1986 seasons, but is best known for his successful stint as pitching coach of the Baltimore Orioles (1978-1985). There he produced five different 20-game winners, including consecutive Cy Young Award winners Mike Flanagan (1979) and Steve Stone (1980). The Orioles appeared in the World Series twice while Miller was pitching coach, losing to Pittsburgh in 1979 and defeating Philadelphia in 1983. Miller, 43, is originally from Takoma Park, MD, but now makes his home in New Athens, OH. He pitched in the San Francisco, Cleveland and Baltimore organizations during his 10-year professional career.

MILT MAY is in his third season as the Pirates' hitting instructor. During the 1986 season, May served as Pittsburgh's advance scout and he also managed for the Bucs in the Florida Instructional League. The former catcher played 14 seasons in the majors, including three full years with Pittsburgh. May was a rookie on Pittsburgh's 1971 World Championship club and also played for Houston, Detroit, the Chicago White Sox and San Francisco during his big league career. He compiled a .263 lifetime average in the majors with 77 home runs and 443 RBI, before retiring following the 1984 season. May, 38, is a native of Gary, IN, who now resides in Bradenton, FL.

GENE LAMONT is in his fourth season as third base coach and he is also responsible for setting up the Pirates' defensive alignment. In addition, Lamont also works with the catchers and outfielders on their defensive skills. His background includes eight years as a manager in the Kansas City Royals' farm system (1978-1985). He was named Southern League Manager-of-the-Year in 1982 after guiding Jacksonville (AA) to an 83-61 record and a berth in the league championship series. He managed his final two seasons at Omaha (AAA). Lamont is a former catcher who spent the majority of his playing career (1965-1977) in the Detroit organization. Lamont, 42, is a native of Rockford, IL, who now lives in Sarasota, FL.

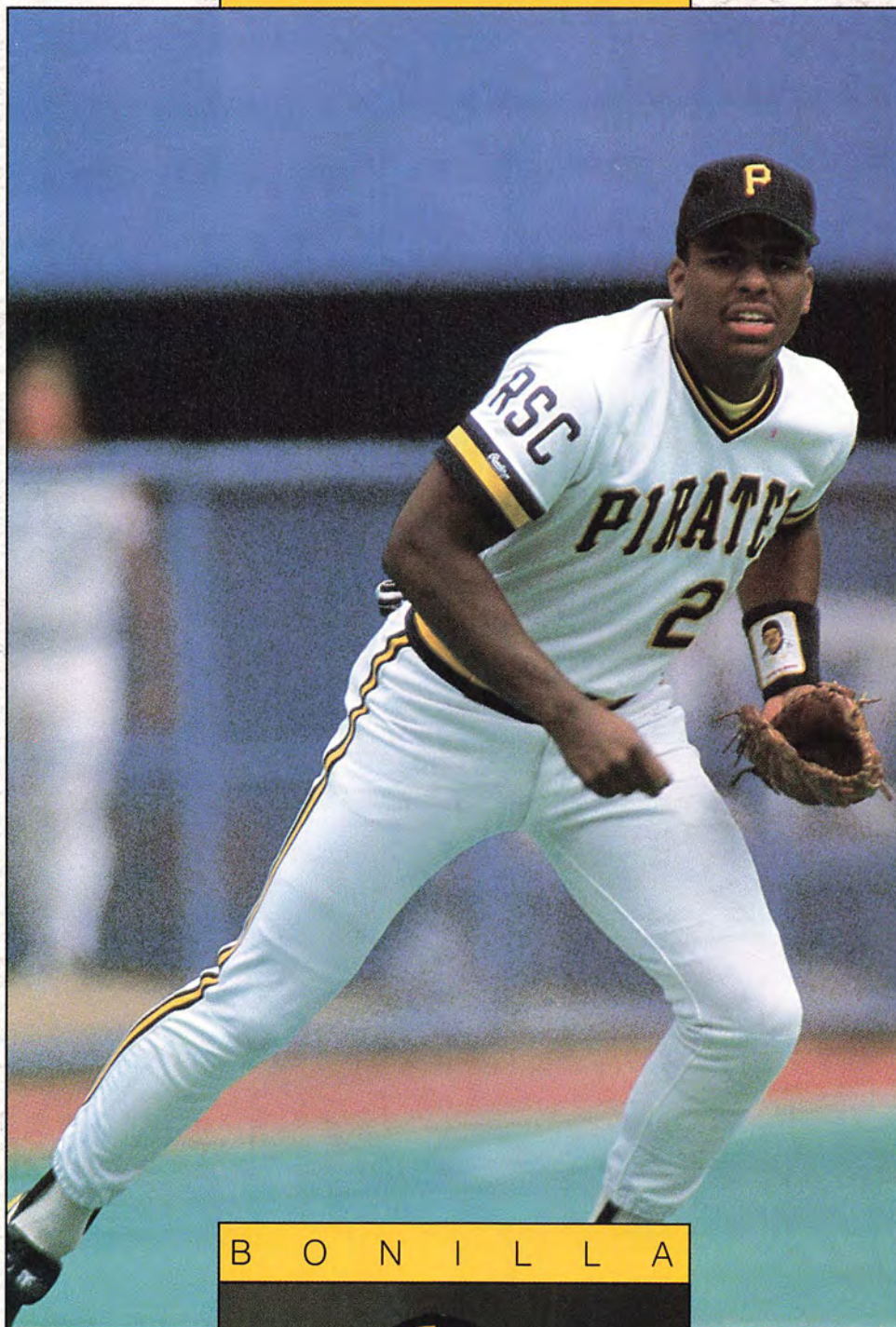
TOMMY SANDT is in his third season as the Pirates' first base coach. His other responsibilities include working with the infielders and teaching the fundamentals of bunting and baserunning. Sandt was a manager in the Pirate farm system for five years (1982-1986), including three seasons with Hawaii (AAA). He was named Pacific Coast League Manager-of-the-Year in 1984 after guiding the Islanders to an 87-53 mark and a spot in the PCL championship series. His overall record as a minor league manager was 368-337 and his teams advanced to postseason play three times in five years. Sandt is a former major league infielder who played for the Oakland A's. He also spent time in the St. Louis and Pittsburgh organizations during his 12 full seasons as a player. Sandt, 38, was born in Brooklyn, NY, but now lives in Lake Oswego, OR.

RICH DONNELLY is in his fourth season as the Pirates' bullpen coach. He keeps a book on every hitter in the National League and goes over the opposing hitters with the relief corps daily. Donnelly was the Texas Rangers' first base coach for three years before coming to Pittsburgh. He is a veteran of 21 years in professional baseball, who spent 12 years in the Washington/Texas organization. Donnelly, a former catcher, had a four-year professional playing career prior to becoming manager of the Rangers' Greenville (Class A) club in 1972. He was named the Western Carolina League's Manager-of-the-Year in each of his first three seasons. His Gastonia club won the league championship in 1974. The 42-year-old Steubenville, OH, native also managed five years in for the Rangers at the Triple-A level.

BRUCE KIMM is an addition to the Pirate coaching staff for the 1989 season. He will serve as bench coach and assist Manager Jim Leyland during games. His duties will include helping Lamont set up the defense and helping prepare the Pirate pinch-hitters for their plate appearances. Kimm, 37, had served on the Cincinnati Reds' coaching staff the past five seasons. He played professionally for 12 years and had major league service with Detroit, the Chicago White Sox and the Chicago Cubs. Kimm managed two seasons in the minor leagues prior to becoming a Cincinnati coach. In 1982, he managed Lakeland, Detroit's affiliate in the Florida State League. He also managed Cincinnati's Cedar Rapids team to the Central Division championship in the Midwest League in 1983. In 1976, he was Mark Fidrych's personal catcher during "the Bird's" spectacular rookie season, catching all 29 of his starts. Kimm is a native of Norway, IA, who now resides in Amana, IA.

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B O N I L L A

BOBBY BONILLA may not have been a household name when the 1988 season started, but he is now.

The 26-year-old third baseman batted .274 with 24 home runs and 100 RBI last year and he sat out only three games all season. Bonilla used the first two months of the season to showcase himself to the baseball nation. He was named the National League Player-of-the-Month for both April and May. He batted .341 with seven homers and 18 RBI in April and .344 with six homers and 25 RBI in May.

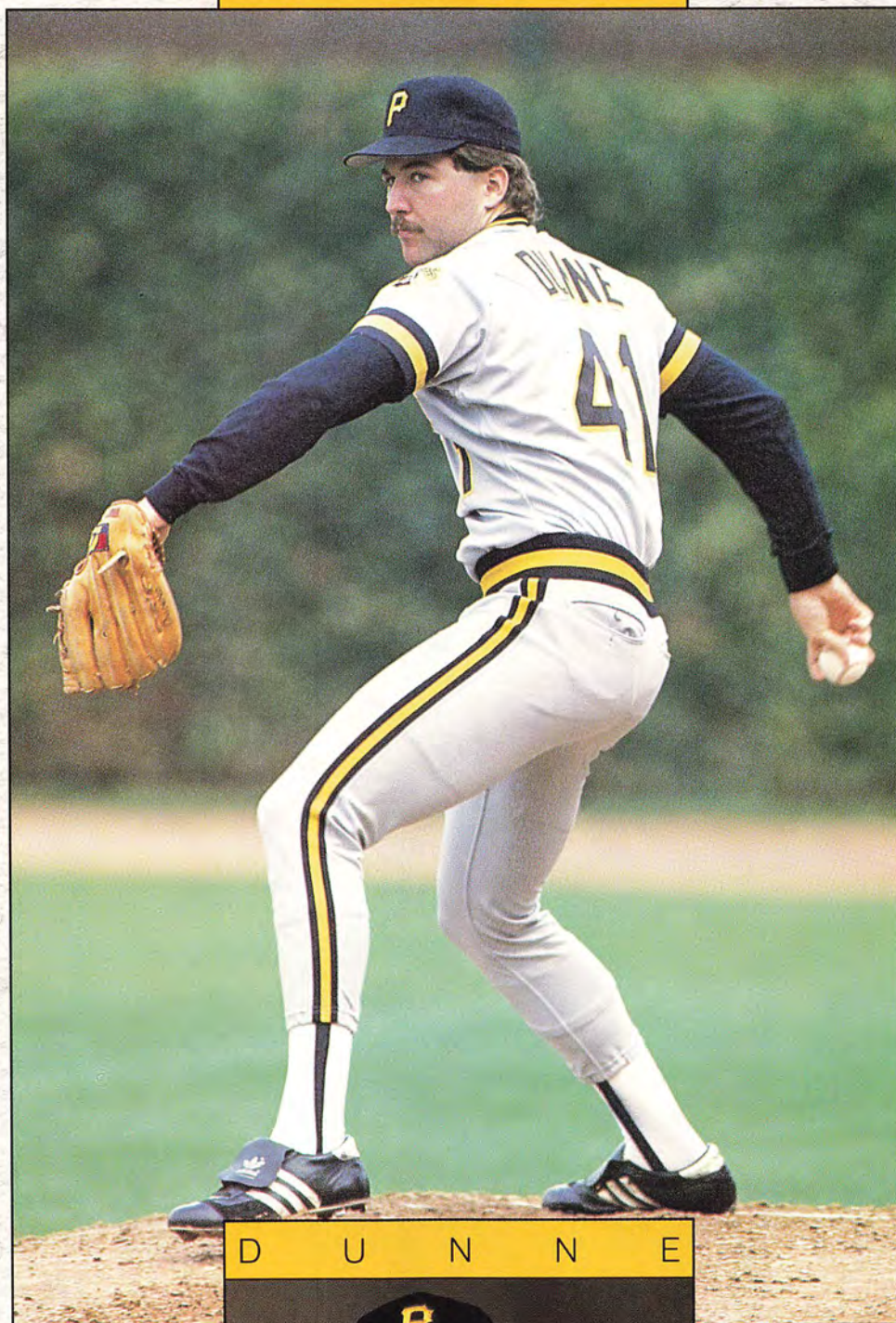


The early season publicity helped Bonilla get elected to the N.L. All-Star team, beating out future Hall of Famer Mike Schmidt in the process. He became the first Pirate to be elected to the squad since Dave Parker in 1981.

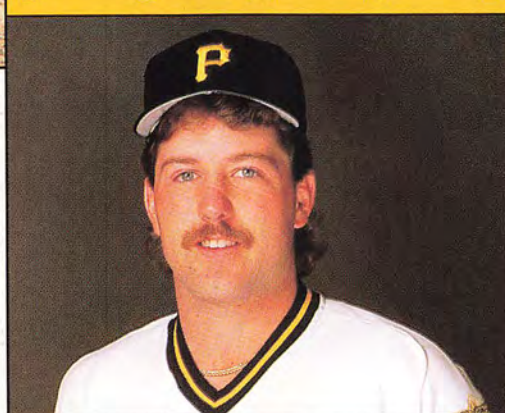
The 6-3, 230-pound Bonilla is one of only four men ever to hit an upper deck home run at Three Rivers Stadium. Willie Stargell, Bob Robertson and Greg Luzinski are the other men on the brief list. Bonilla is also the only Pirate ever to hit home runs from both sides of the plate in the same game, a feat he has accomplished twice.

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D U N N E



MIKE DUNNE experienced the "sophomore jinx" last season after being named the National League Rookie Pitcher-of-the-Year by The Sporting News in 1987.

The 26-year-old righthander earned the starting assignment for the Pirates' season opener at Veterans Stadium in Philadelphia last April 5th. Although Dunne picked up the win in a 5-3 Bucco triumph that evening, he suffered a muscle strain in his left side and was placed on the disabled list a week later.

Dunne had his ups and downs after returning to active duty and compiled a 7-11 record with a 3.92 ERA by season's end. Those were disappointing numbers for a young man who had taken the league by storm the previous summer.

After his contract was purchased from Vancouver (AAA) on June 1st of 1987, Dunne became the Pirates' leading winner by going 13-6 in 23 starts. He won more games than any rookie in the majors and his 3.03 ERA made him second in the league in that department behind future Hall-of-Famer Nolan Ryan.

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V A N S L Y K E

ANDY VAN SLYKE used the 1988 season to prove to the baseball world that he can flat out do it all.

He batted .288 with 25 home runs and 100 RBI in 154 games with the Bucs. He also scored 101 runs, stole 30 bases, and led the majors with 15 triples. The 28-year-old Van Slyke became the first Pirate to score at least 100 runs and drive in at least 100 runs since Dave Parker in 1978.

In the clutch, Van Slyke exhibited a knack

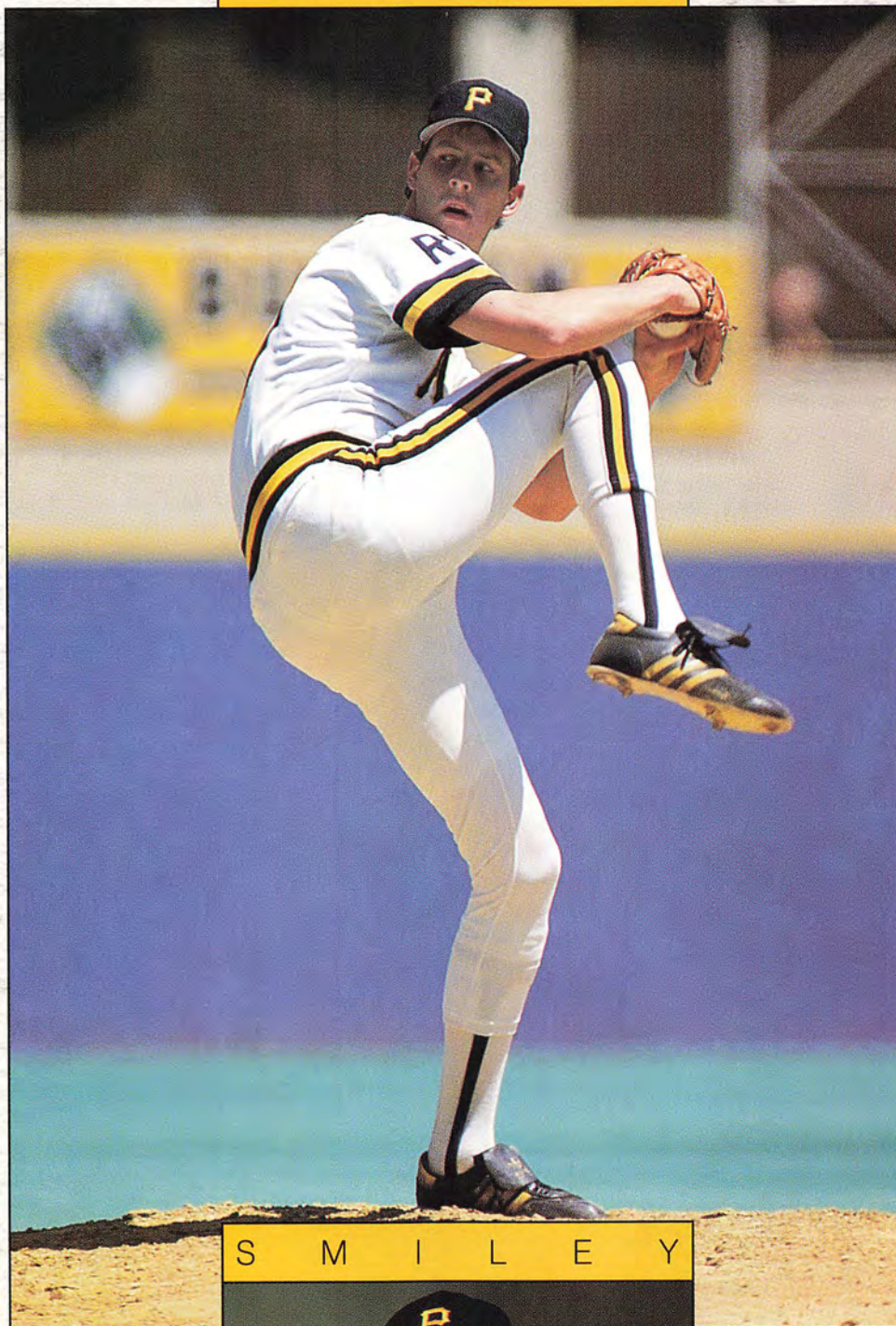


for getting key runs home, collecting a club record 16 game-winning RBI. Defensively, his variety of running and diving catches most often defied description. And that arm... as strong as it is accurate... enabled him to gun down 12 runners on the basepaths, including nine at home plate.

Van Slyke's performance earned him a spot on the All-Star team, his first Gold Glove, and The Sporting News National League Player-of-the-Year Award.

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S M I L E Y

JOHN SMILEY was successfully converted from a short reliever into a starting pitcher in 1988, his second full season in the big leagues.

The hard-throwing 24-year-old left-hander added a curveball and a change-up to his repertoire, which helped enable him to compile a 13-11 record and a 3.25 ERA.

Smiley was particularly effective during the first half of the season, going 9-4 with a 2.68 ERA in 18 appearances. He won six straight decisions prior to the All-Star break.



The Phoenixville, PA native led the Pirate staff with 129 strikeouts and he walked only 46 batters in 205 innings. Smiley also led the staff with five complete games. He had a one-hitter, a two-hitter, and a three-hitter to his credit.

A fourth-inning triple by Tim Wallach was the only hit the Montreal Expos could manage against Smiley on June 3rd at Three Rivers Stadium. It was the first one-hitter by a Pirate since Jose DeLeon recorded one versus Cincinnati on August 24, 1984.

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R E D U S



GARY REDUS is an outfielder with six years of major league experience. He came to the Pirates from the Chicago White Sox in a deal for first baseman/outfielder Mike Diaz last August.

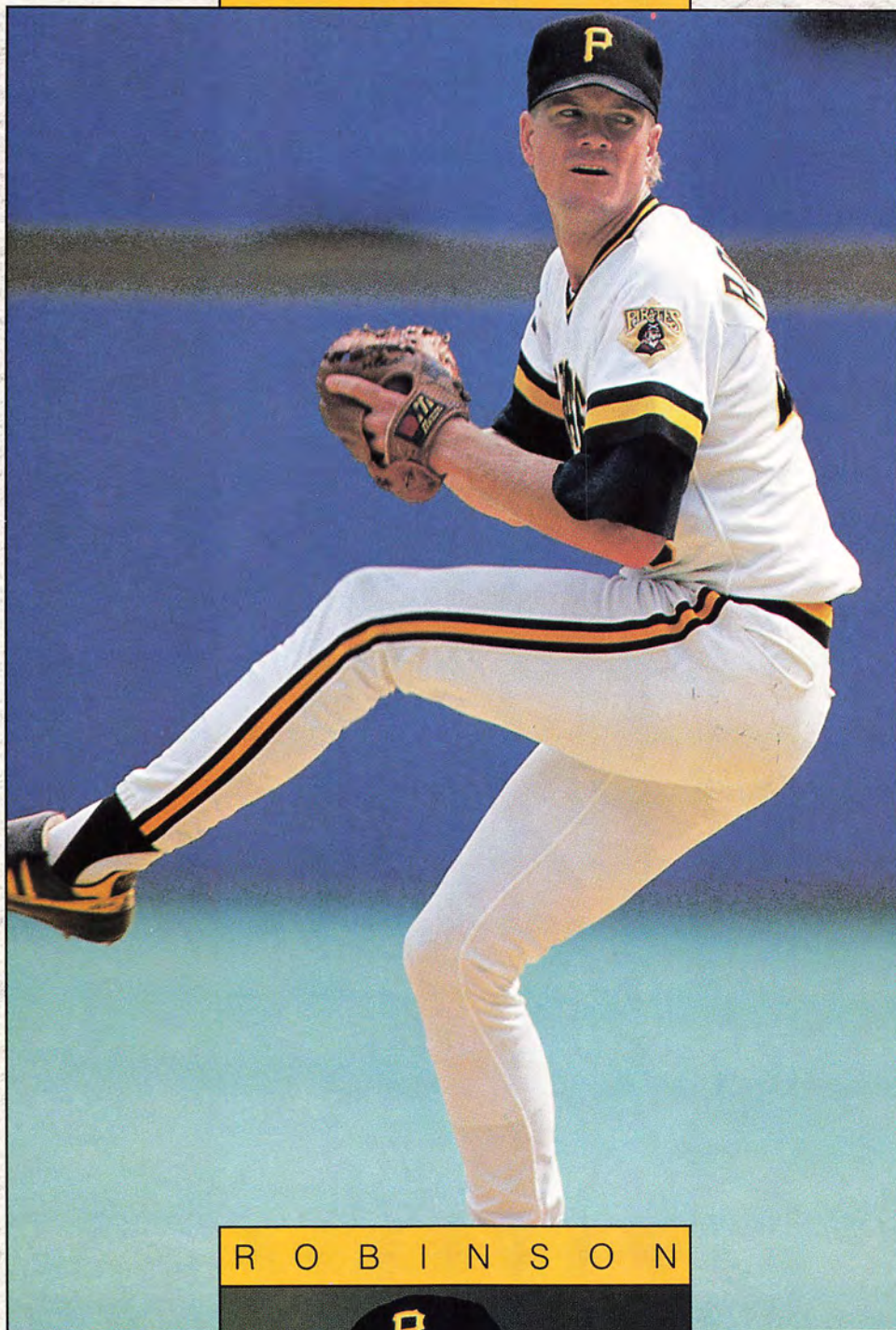
The 32-year-old Redus was batting .263 with six homers, 34 RBI and 26 stolen bases in 77 games for Chicago at the time he was acquired. His 1988 season was highlighted by a pair of grand slams, one off of Detroit's Frank Tanana at Tiger Stadium on May 31st and the other off Dale Mohorcic of Texas at Comiskey Park on June 4th.

Redus was the Cincinnati Reds' 15th round selection in the June 1978 free agent draft, but he quickly made a name for himself in professional baseball. While playing for the Reds' Billings Class A farm club, Redus hit an incredible .462 which was the second-highest recorded batting average in pro history. He collected 117 hits, scored 100 runs and stole 42 bases in just 68 games.

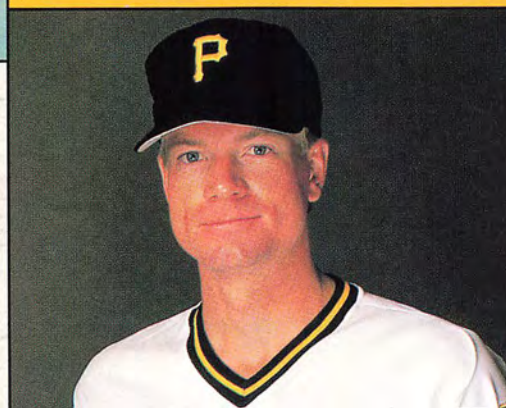
Redus made his major league debut with Cincinnati in September of 1982 and he spent three full seasons in a Reds' uniform before being traded to Philadelphia.

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R O B I N S O N



JEFF ROBINSON teamed up with Jim Gott as one of the workhorses of the Pirates bullpen in 1988.

It was a banner year for the 28-year-old righthander as he went 11-5 with nine saves and a 3.10 ERA. He tied for second in the league with 75 appearances, the most by a Pirate since Kent Tekulve had 76 in 1983. Robinson led all major league relievers with 124.2 innings pitched and Montreal's Jeff Parrett (12-4) was the only reliever in the big leagues with more victories than Robinson. The last time a Pirate reliever had more than 11

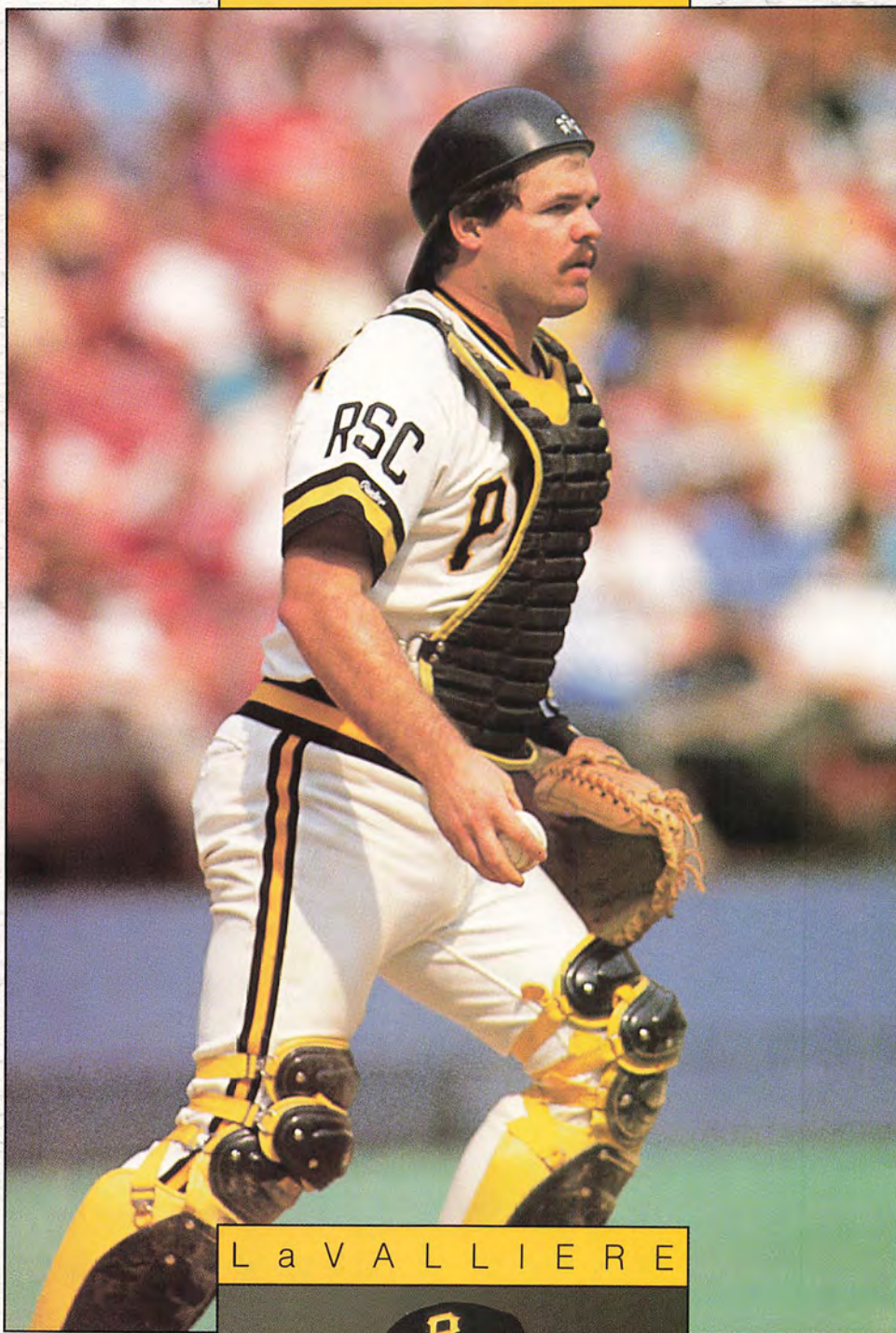
wins was when Tekulve went 12-8 in 1982.

His longest outing of the year was a 5.0 inning scoreless stint during a 10-4 victory at Philadelphia on August 13th. Robinson, a master of the split-finger fastball, won a career-high six straight decisions between June 23rd and August 13th.

The 1988 season was the second consecutive strong campaign for Robinson who went a combined 8-9 with 14 saves and a 2.85 ERA in 81 appearances for the Pirates and the San Francisco Giants in 1987.

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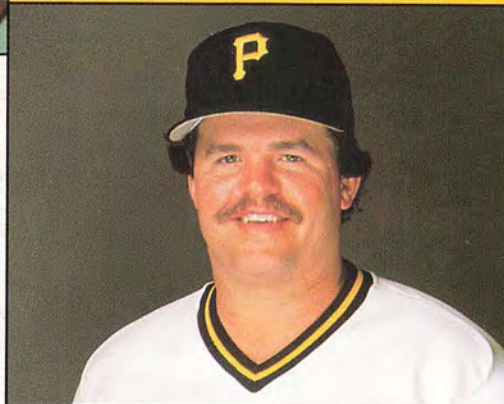


L a V A L L I E R E

MIKE LaVALLIERE is one of the most highly regarded catchers in all of baseball as evidenced by the fact he was named to The Sporting News' postseason National League All-Star team in 1988.

The lefthanded-hitting LaValliere batted .261 with two homers and 47 RBI in 120 games for the Bucs last season. Despite not having a high RBI total, he was one of the club's top hitters in the clutch, batting .337 with runners in scoring position.

"Spanky" started the 1988 season strong

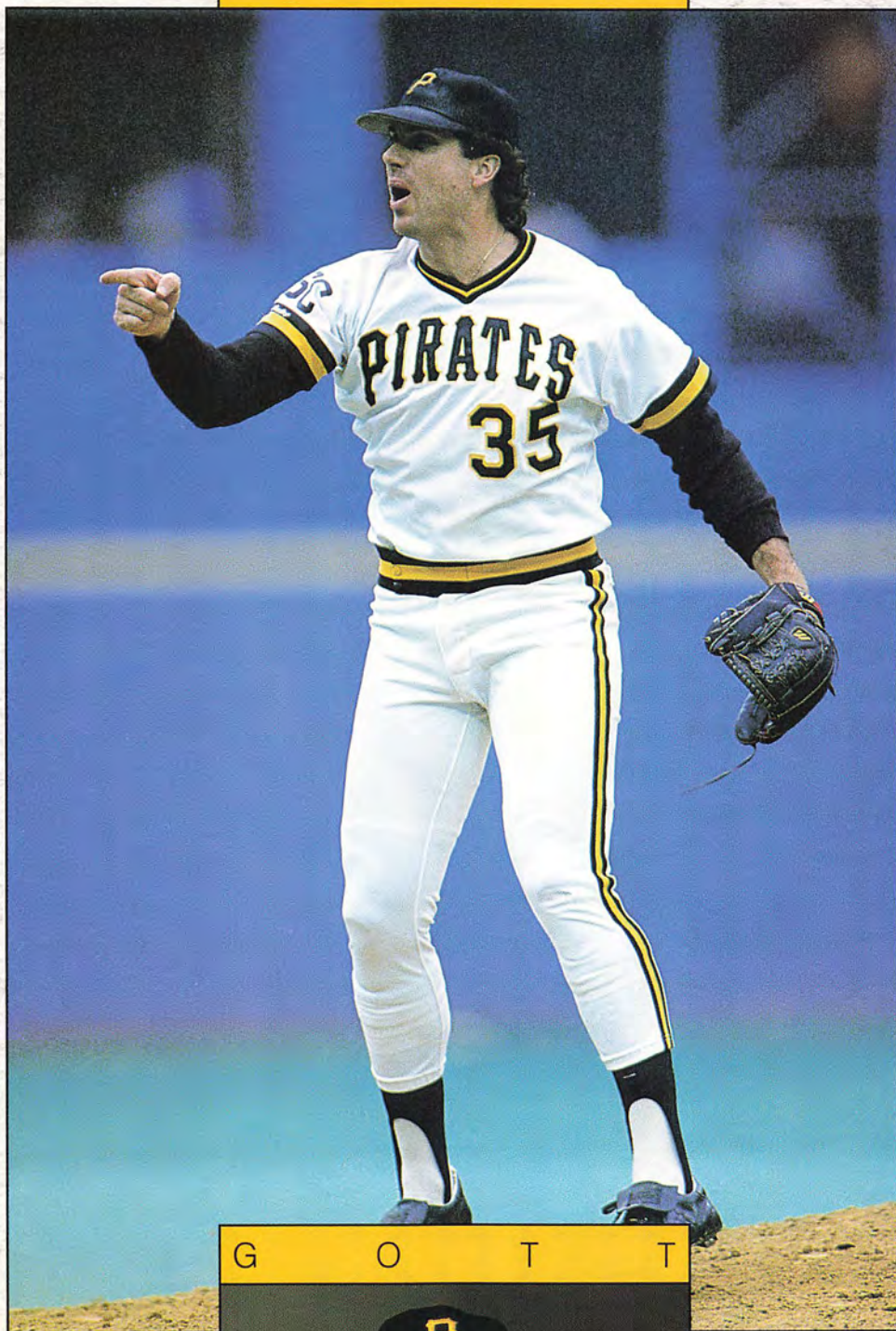


as he was named the National League Player-of-the-Month for the week of April 18th-24th. He was 12-for-17 (.706) with five RBI during the week and had a string of six consecutive hits at one point.

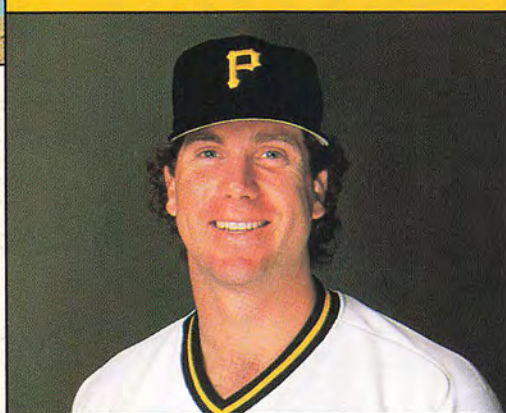
In 1987, LaValliere's first season with the Bucs, he batted .300 with one home run and 36 RBI. He also led major league catchers in throwing out would-be basestealers. LaValliere nailed 43 percent of the runners who tried to steal against him (49-of-115), enroute to winning his first Rawlings' Gold Glove Award.

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G O T T



JIM GOTT is the man Pirate Manager Jim Leyland calls on when the game is on the line.

The 29-year-old righthander had an outstanding season in 1988, going 6-6 with a 3.49 ERA and a club-record 34 saves in 67 appearances. He finished second in the league in saves behind Cincinnati's John Franco who had 39.

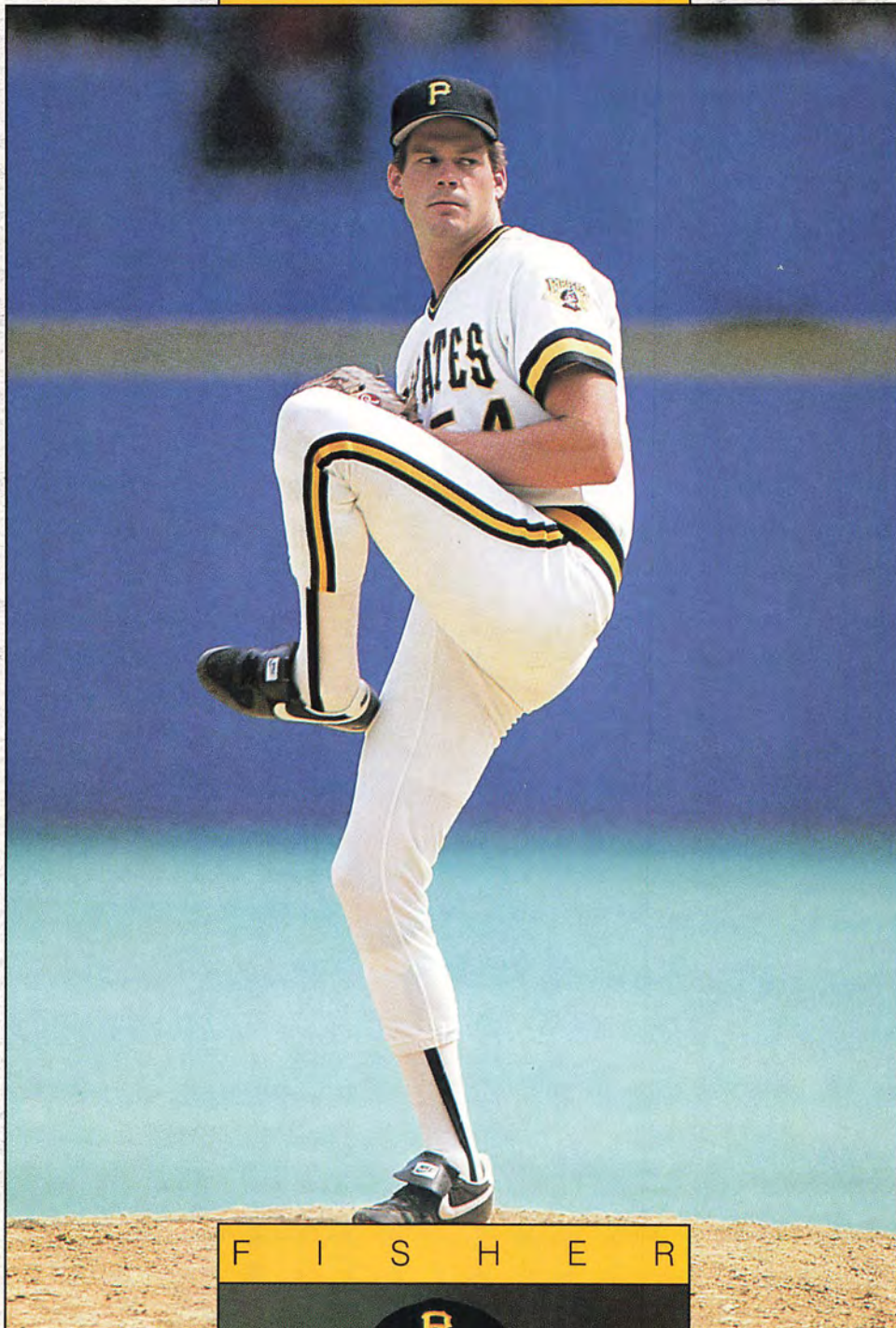
Gott notched at least one save against every National League opponent in breaking the previous record of 31, which was established by Kent Tekulve in 1978. He also tied

a Pirate club record which he set in 1987, by recording saves in seven consecutive appearances between September 6th and September 20th. Gott was particularly tough on St. Louis, saving seven of the Pirates' 11 victories versus the defending N.L. East champions.

Since being acquired from the San Francisco Giants in August of 1987, he has recorded 47 saves in 56 opportunities. Although Gott has been a Pirate for less than two seasons, only Tekulve, Dave Giusti and ElRoy Face have saved more games for Pittsburgh.

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F I S H E R

BRIAN FISHER experienced some highs and lows pitching with the Pirates last season.

The 26-year-old righthander started the season strong, winning each of his first three starts and becoming the first Pirate to do so since Dock Ellis in 1973. Unfortunately, Fisher strained his right shoulder two starts later. He was 3-0 with a 1.84 ERA when he was placed on the disabled list on April 30th.

Fisher made 21 starts in his first 22 appearances before moving to the bullpen when Dave LaPoint was acquired from the



Chicago White Sox in mid-August. After struggling a bit during in July and August, he regained his form and finished the season strong, going 2-0 with one save and an 0.78 ERA in 11 relief outings. For Fisher, it brought back memories of the 1985 and 1986 seasons when he was a key member of the New York Yankees' bullpen.

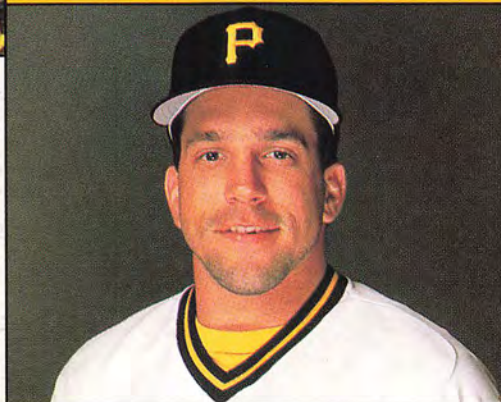
Despite having knee surgery and shoulder surgery during the off-season, Fisher expects to battle for a spot in the Pirates' starting rotation again this season.

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C A N G E L O S I



JOHN CANGELOSI is a speedy outfielder who came to the Pirates from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for pitcher Jim Winn prior to the 1987 season.

"Cangy" usually gets the call in the late innings when the Bucs need someone to get on base and spark a rally. He was the Pirates most-used pinch-hitter last season as he had 50 plate appearances in that role. Cangelosi batted .286 as pinch-hitter in 1988, going 12-for-42 with five walks, a hit by pitch and two sacrifice bunts (.375 on-base percentage).

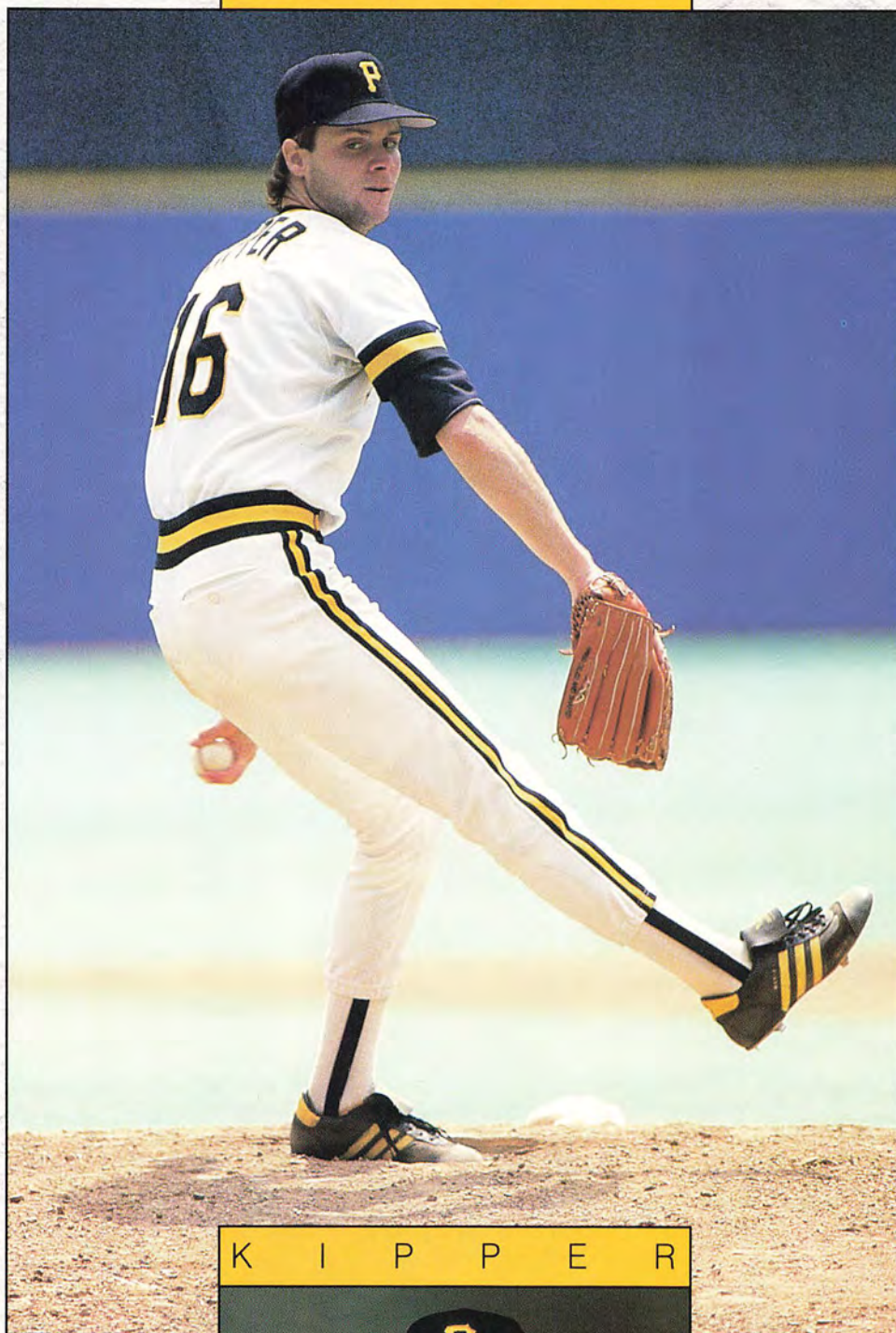
Overall, Cangelosi hit .254 in 75 games

for Pittsburgh last season. He also spent time at Buffalo (AAA) where he batted a hefty .331 in 37 games. Cangelosi batted .344 after his recall by the Pirates on August 10th, going 22-for-64. In 1987, he appeared in 104 games for the Pirates and batted .275 with four homers and 18 RBI.

Ironically, Cangelosi's 1988 season even included an appearance as a pitcher. He pitched two scoreless innings in a 14-6 loss at Los Angeles on May 3rd, becoming the first non-pitcher to pitch for the Pirates since Mario Mendoza in 1977.

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K I P P E R

BOB KIPPER moved to the bullpen in 1988 after spending considerable time in the Pirates' starting rotation the previous two seasons.

The 24-year-old lefthander was 2-6 with a 3.74 ERA in 50 relief appearances for Pittsburgh last season. He made his 100th career appearance vs. St. Louis at Three Rivers Stadium on September 28th. Pirate pitching coach Ray Miller is among those who believe that Kipper will benefit from the experience he has gained at the major league level the past three seasons.



Kipper had not yet celebrated his 18th birthday when the California Angels made him their first round selection in the June 1982 free agent draft. In 1984, he was named the California League Pitcher-of-the-Year after going 18-8 with a 2.04 ERA at Redwood. Kipper led the league in victories and ERA that season.

He made his major league debut with California in April of 1985 at the age of 20. Kipper was acquired by Pittsburgh in the deal that sent John Candelaria to the Angels in August of 1985.

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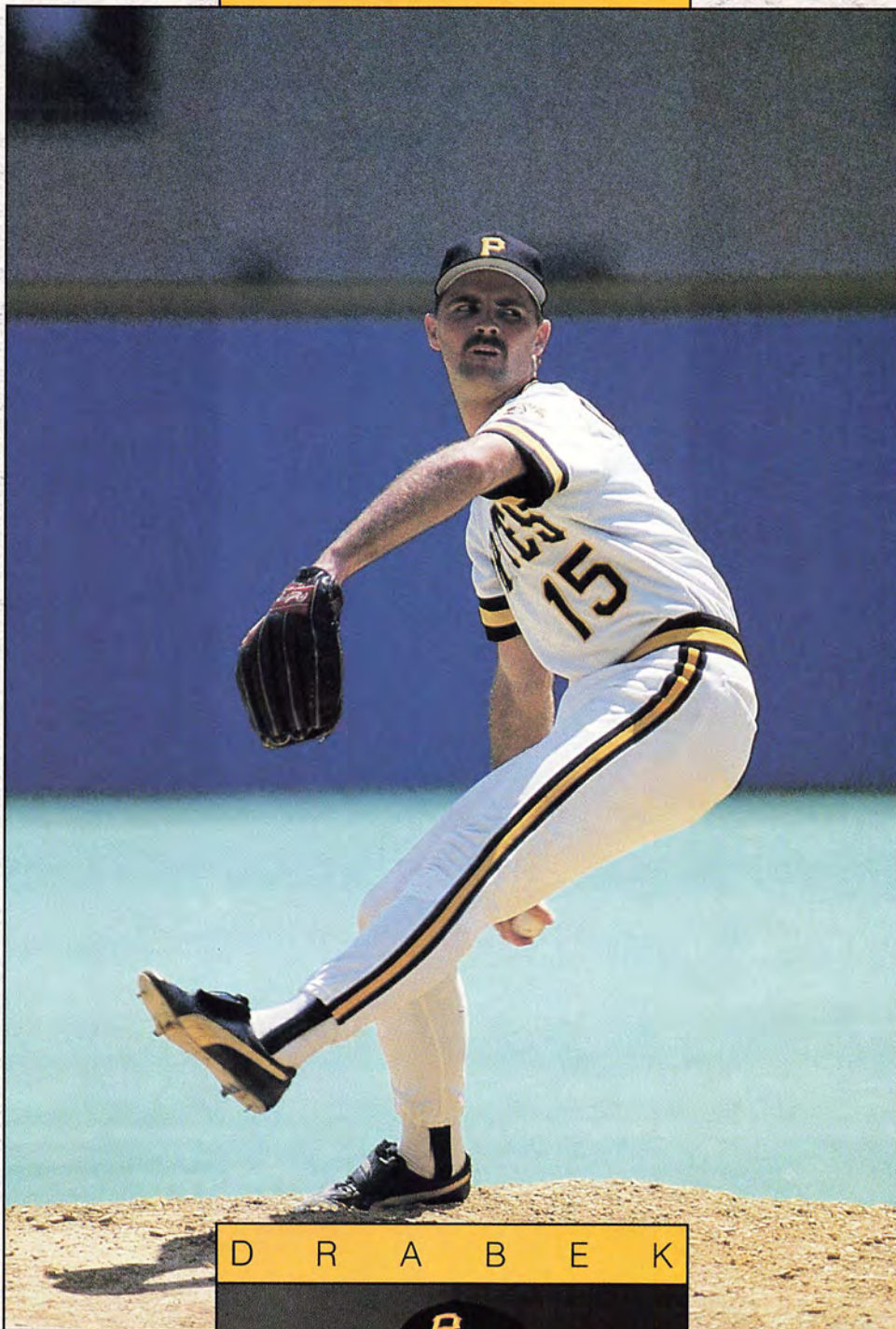
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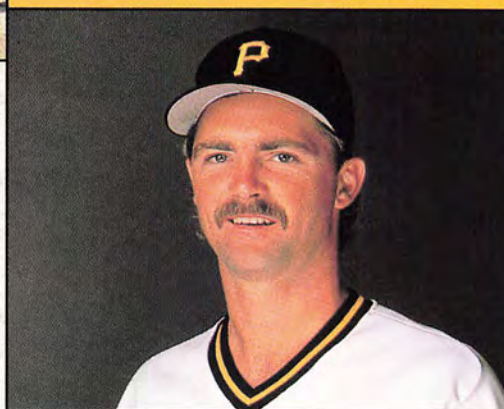


D R A B E K

D OUG DRABEK developed into the ace of the Pirate pitching staff in 1988.

The 26-year-old righthander from Victoria, TX went 15-7 with a fine 3.08 ERA and led the staff in victories and innings pitched (219.1).

Drabek showed signs of becoming one of the league's dominant pitchers early in the season when he struck out 11 Cubs in an 8-4 win at Three Rivers Stadium on April 22nd. A couple starts later, he put on a tremendous show in front of the home folks, carrying a



no-hitter into the ninth inning against the Padres.

The former Yankee also closed out the season in impressive fashion, going 10-2 with a 1.91 ERA in his last 17 starts. His seven-game winning streak between July 8th and August 16th was the longest by a Pirate since John Candelaria won eight straight during the 1983 season.

Drabek also had an excellent strikeouts to walks ratio for the second straight year, fanning 127 and issuing only 50 walks.

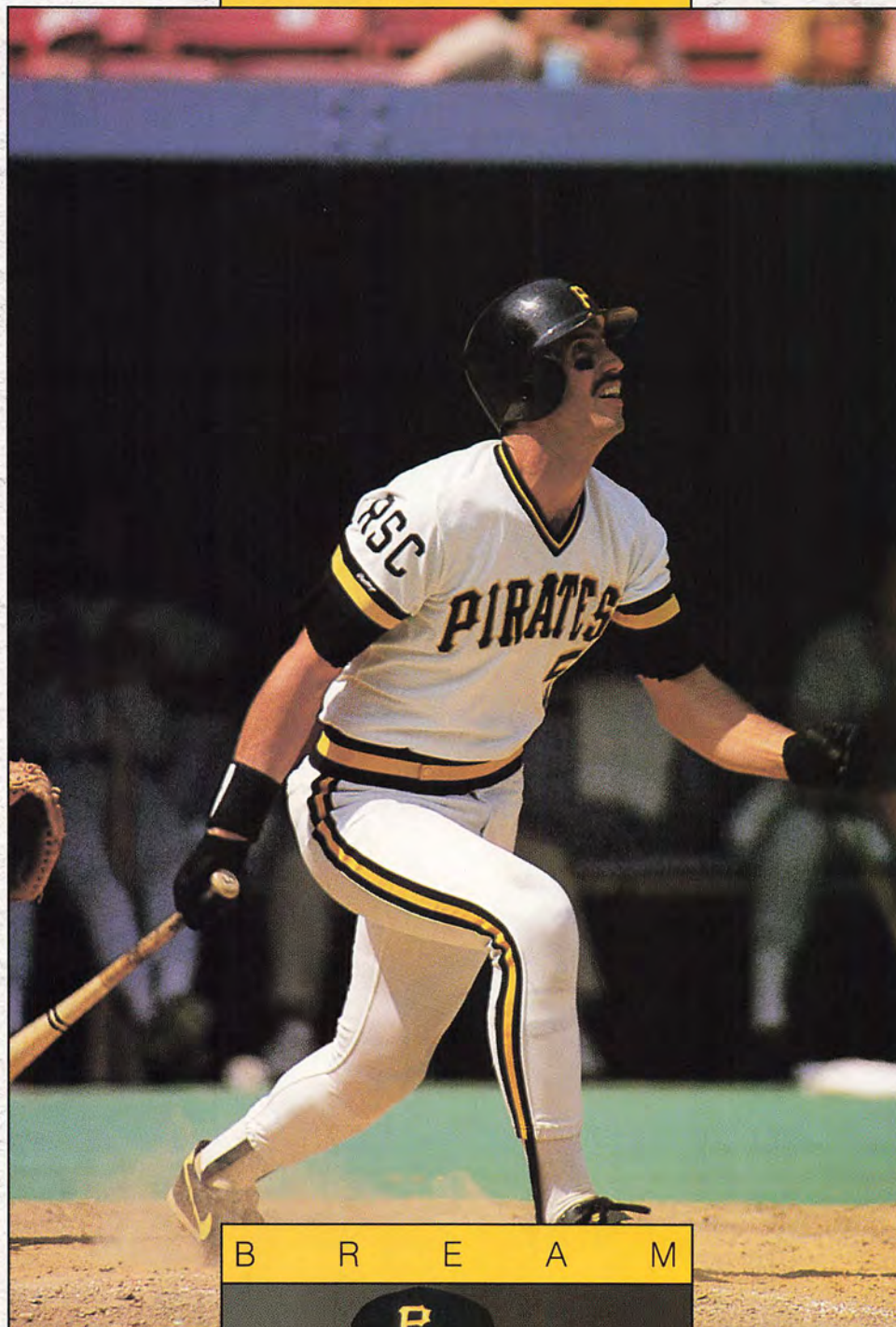


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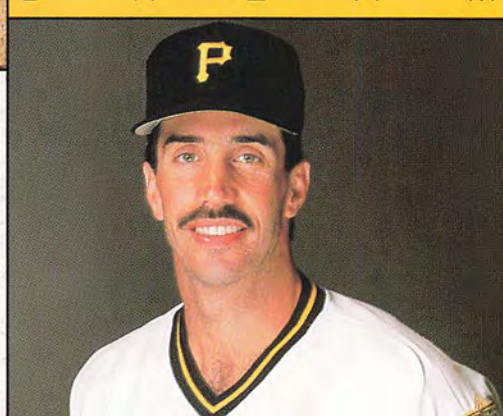
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B R E A M



STEVE BREAM has been the Pirates' starting first baseman since being acquired from the Los Angeles Dodgers in September of 1985.

The 27-year-old Bream batted .264 with 10 homers and 65 RBI in 148 games for Pittsburgh in 1988. He tied a career high by collecting 37 doubles and was fourth in the league in that department. Bream batted .464 (13-for-28) during the week of June 20th-26th and shared National League Player-of-the-Week honors with San Francisco first baseman Will Clark.

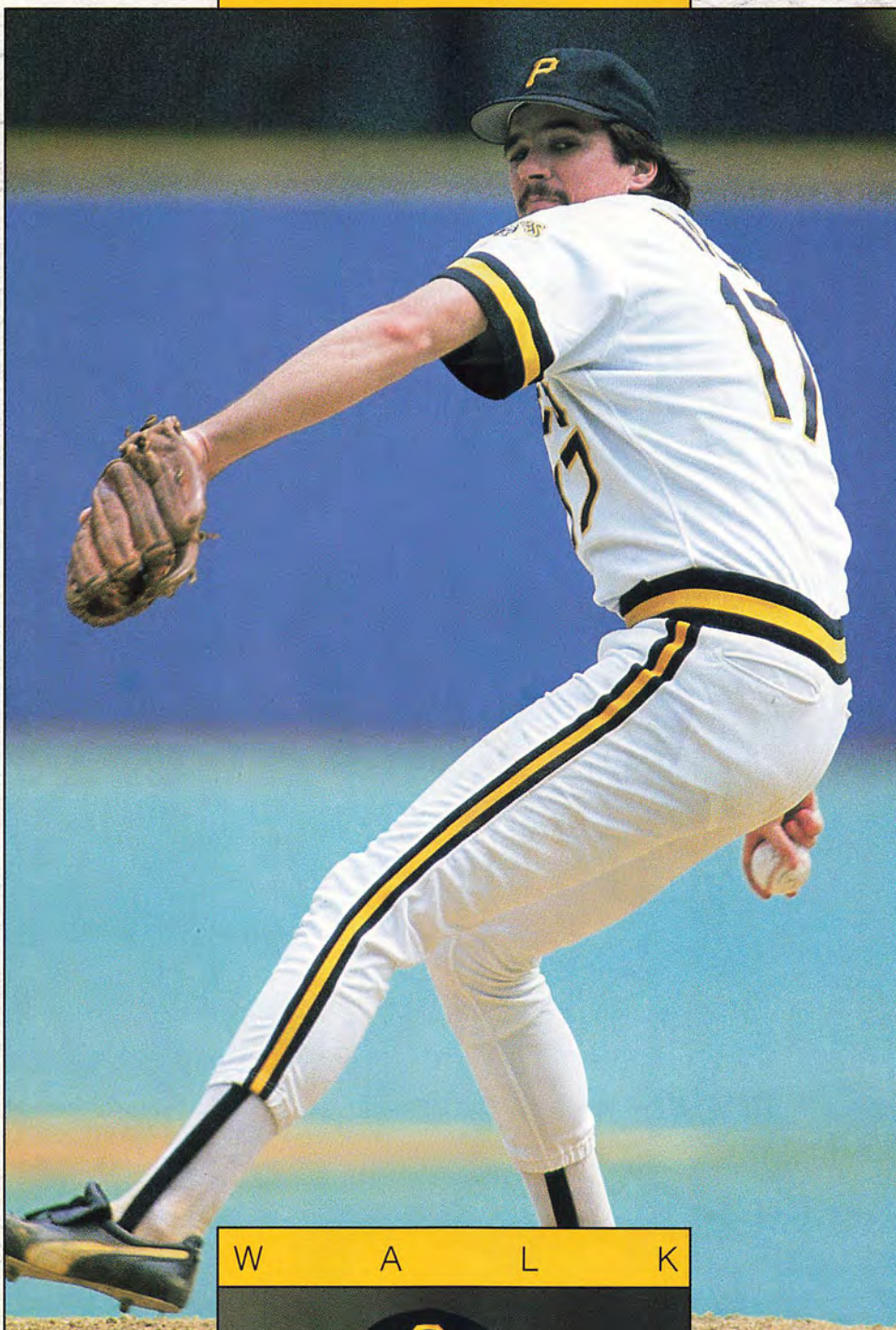
Defensively, he led all National League

first basemen with 140 assists and his .995 fielding percentage was second to Houston's Glenn Davis (.996). Bream had a 58-game errorless streak in July and August and he committed just six errors all season in 1,264 total chances.

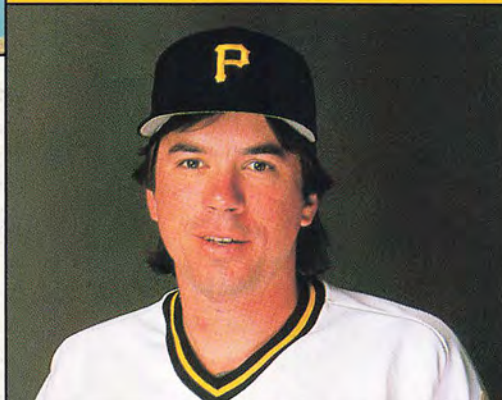
Bream's offensive numbers have been consistent in his three full seasons with the Bucs. He hit .268 with 16 home runs and 77 RBI in 154 games in 1986 and .275 with 13 homers and 65 RBI in 149 games in 1987.

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W A L K



BOB WALK spent the entire 1988 season in the Pirates' starting rotation and enjoyed a fine year.

The 32-year-old righthander was 12-10 with a 2.71 ERA in 32 starts. He set career highs in wins, starts and innings pitched (212.2) and his ERA was a career low. Walk was particularly effective during the first half of the season, going 10-4 with a 2.47 ERA prior to the All-Star break. He became the first Pirate to have 10 wins at the break since Don Robinson in 1982. His performance also earned him a spot on the National League All-Star team for

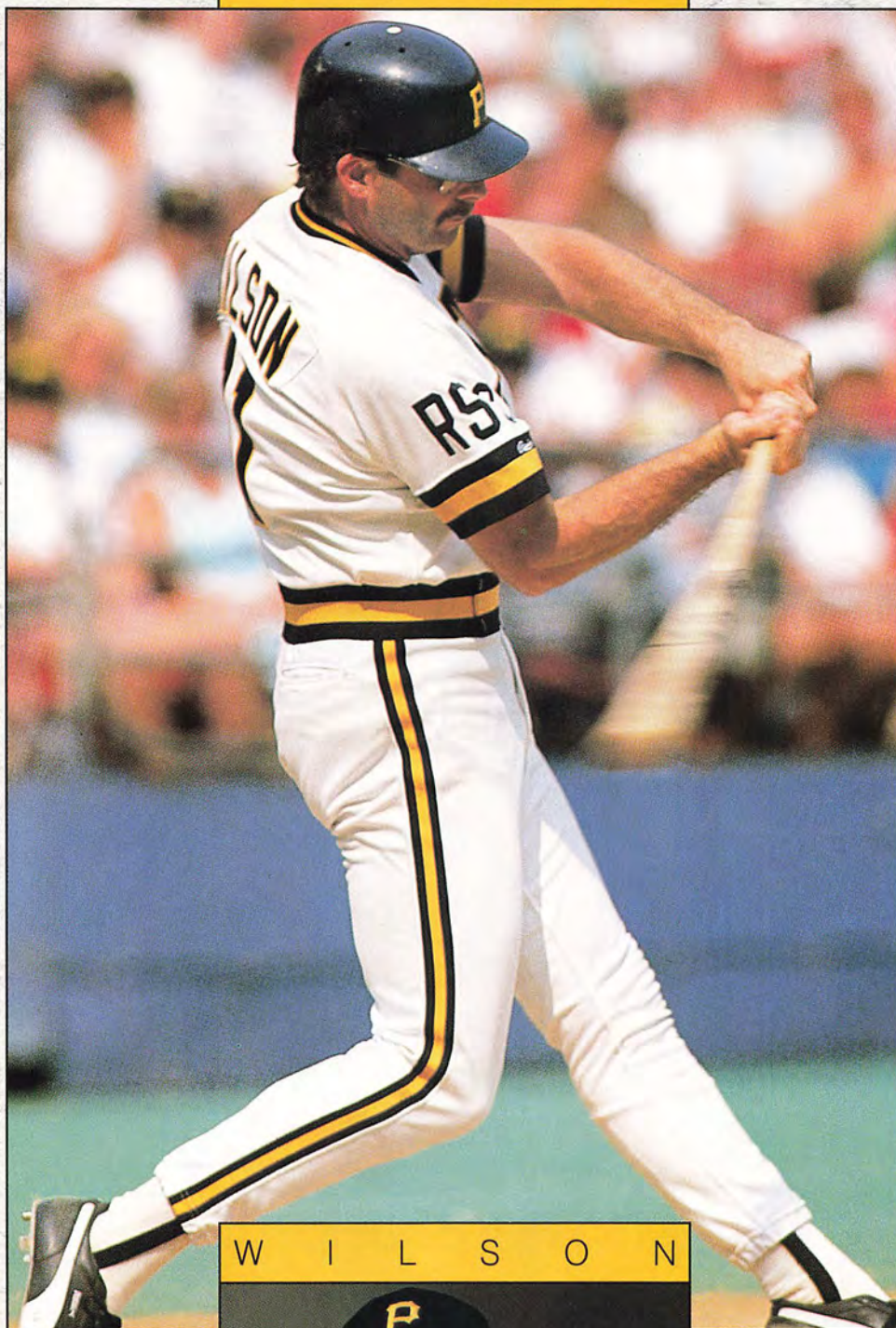
the first time in his career.

Walk's six-game winning streak between June 8th and July 20th was the longest of his career. One of those victories was his fifth career shutout, an 8-0 victory at Chicago on June 13th. Walk was 3-0 with an 0.62 ERA against the Cubs and 3-0 with a 1.53 ERA versus San Diego.

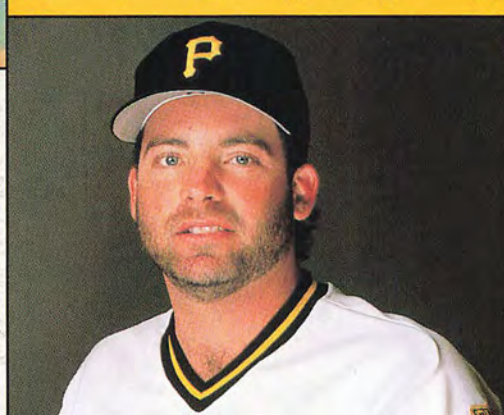
The California-native made his major league debut with Philadelphia in 1980 and he pitched for the Phillies in the World Series that year.

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W I L S O N



GLENN WILSON is an experienced big league outfielder who was acquired by the Pirates from the Seattle Mariners in exchange for Darnell Coles last July.

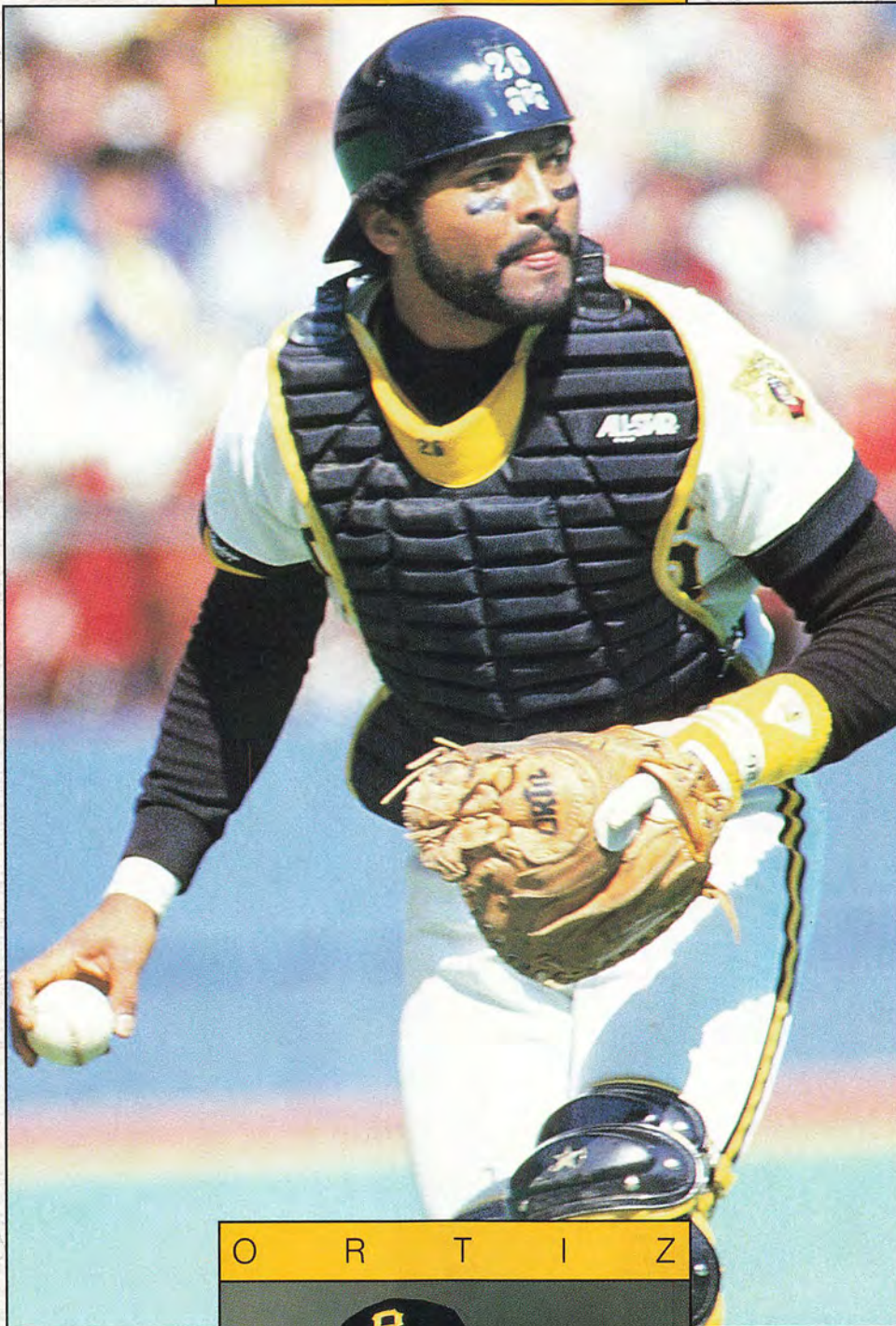
The 30-year-old Texan was a two-time All-American at Sam Houston State University before the Detroit Tigers made him their first round pick in the June 1980 free agent draft. Wilson played in the majors for the Tigers in 1982 and 1983 before being traded to Philadelphia in the Willie Hernandez deal. His finest big league season came in 1985 when

he played in 161 games and batted .275 with 14 home runs and 102 RBI. Wilson was also named to the National League All-Star team that season.

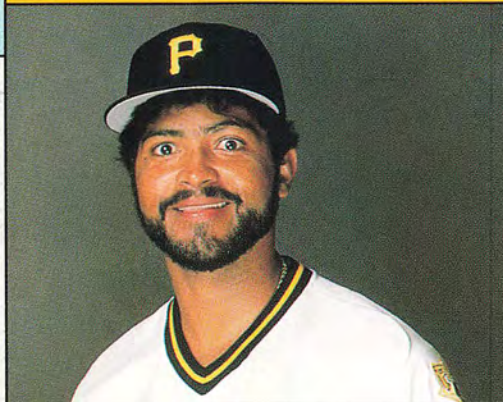
Wilson is an outstanding defensive outfielder who possesses one of the strongest throwing arms in all of baseball. He led all N.L. outfielders in assists three straight seasons as a member of the Phillies. Wilson's league-leading totals were 18 in 1985, 20 in 1986 and 18 again in 1987. He was switched from center field to right field when he was with Detroit in 1983 and has remained there ever since.

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O R T I Z



JUNIOR ORTIZ is the senior member of the Pirates in terms of continuous service, having been with the club since the start of the 1985 season.

He hit .280 in 49 games for the Pirates in 1988, his second straight season as the back-up to Mike LaValliere. Previously, Ortiz had spent two full seasons behind All-Star catcher Tony Pena in Pittsburgh.

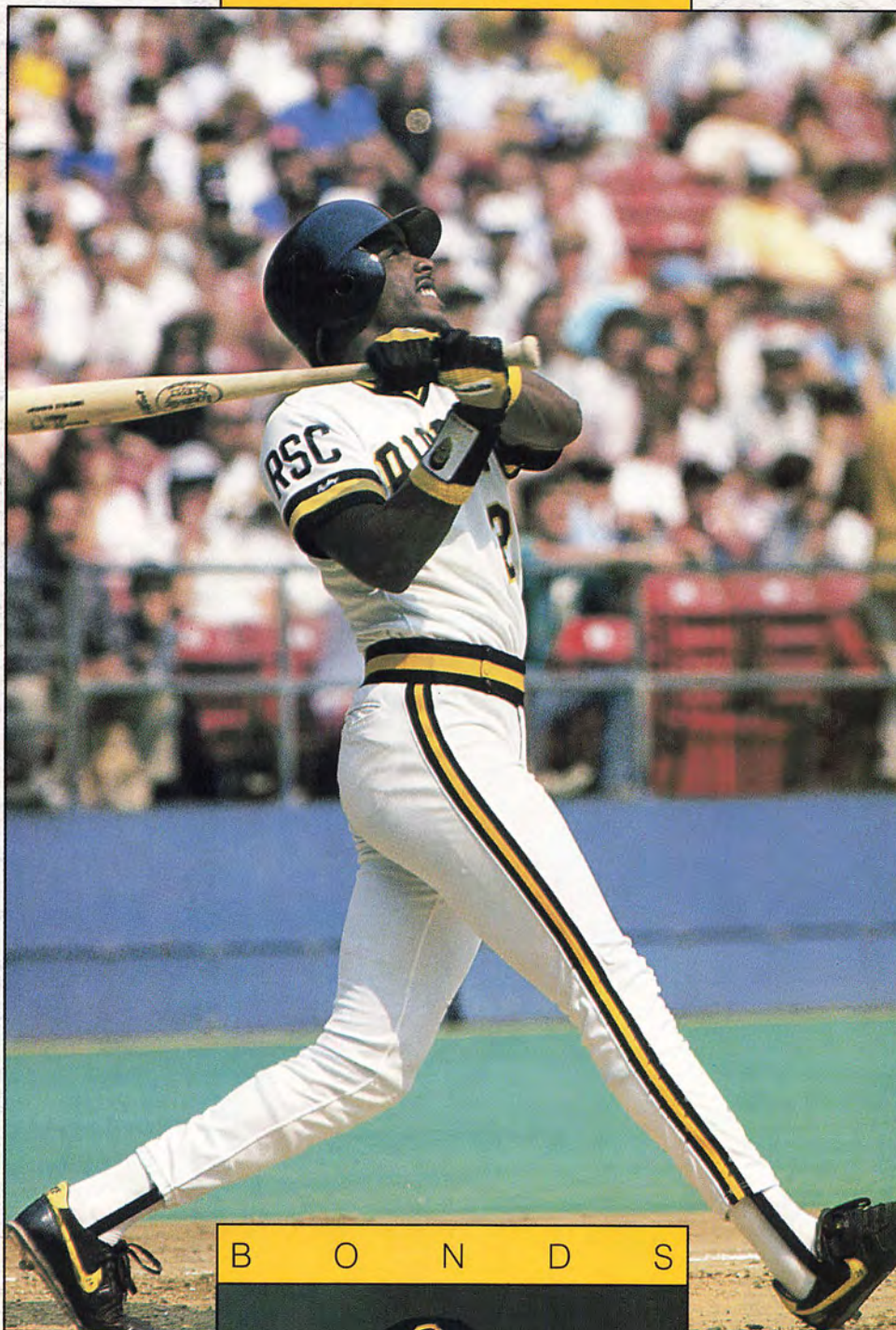
The 29-year-old Ortiz missed nearly two months of the 1988 season after sustaining a broken left collarbone while diving for a foul ball in St. Louis on July 27th. He was acti-

vated from the disabled list on September 5th, but appeared in only 5 more games the rest of the season.

Now in his second tour of duty with the club, Ortiz is a product of the Pirate farm system who made his major league debut with Pittsburgh in 1982. He was traded to the New York Mets in the June 1983 deal that brought outfielder Marvell Wynne to the Pirates. Ortiz spent a season and half with New York before being re-acquired by the Bucs at the 1984 winter meetings.

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B O N D S



BARRY BONDS was the Pirates' number one pick in the June 1985 free agent draft and it didn't take long for the talented outfielder to make it to the majors.

In fact, it was a little less than a year. Bonds had played just over 100 games at the minor league level when the Pirates purchased his contract from their Hawaii (AAA) farm club on May 30th. He has remained in the major leagues ever since.

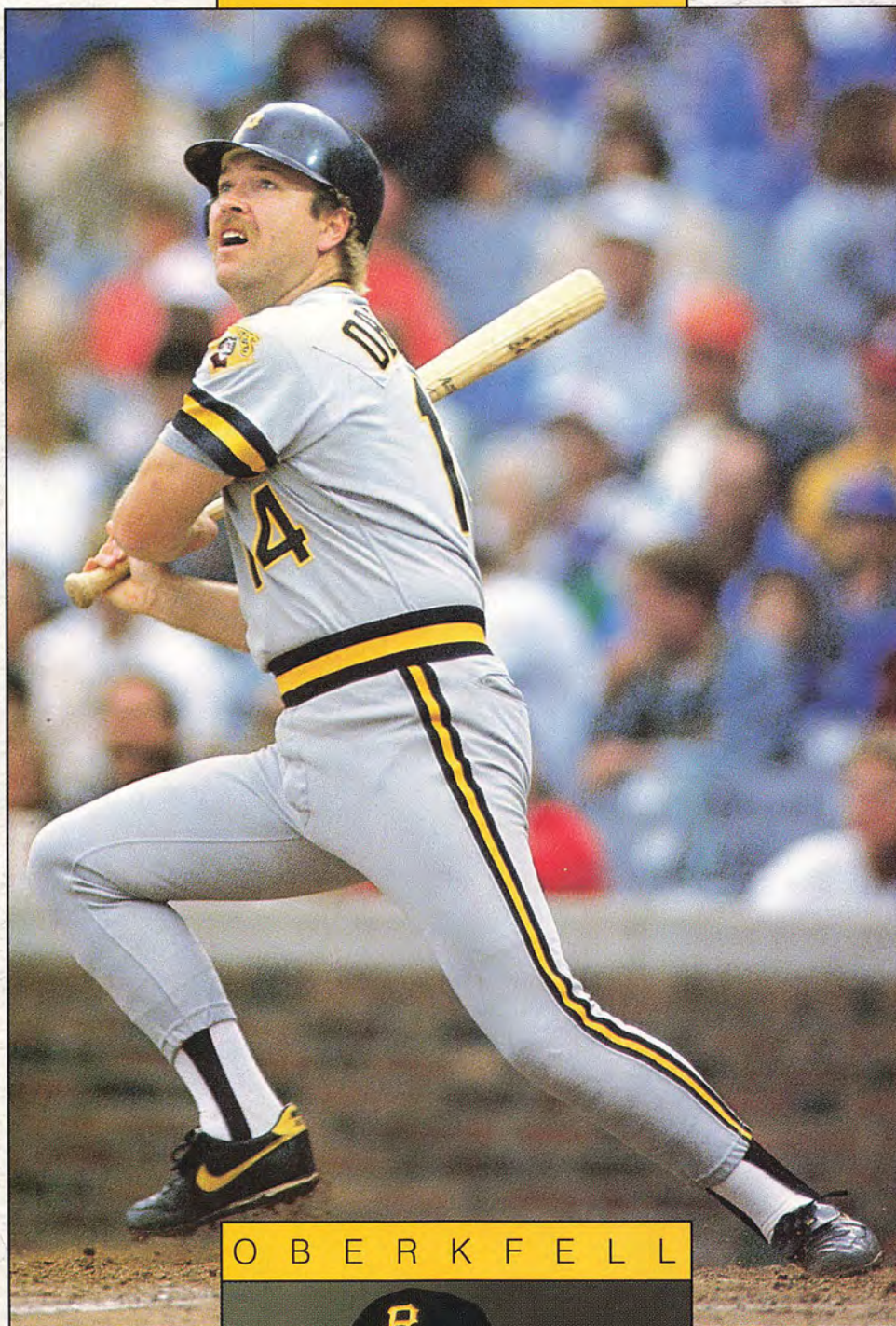
Bonds, whose father Bobby had an outstanding 14-year career in the majors, batted .223 with 16 homers and 48 RBI in 113 games

as a rookie with Pittsburgh in 1986. He has shown steady improvement at the plate the last two seasons. Bonds batted .261 with 25 home runs and 59 RBI in 1987 and .283 with 24 home runs and 58 RBI last season despite a nagging knee injury that affected his mobility the second half of the year.

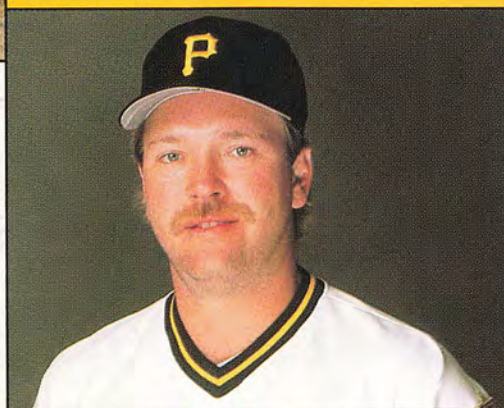
Although he is not the prototype lead-off hitter, Bonds has served the Pirates' in that capacity since his arrival. He is lightning at the top of the order. Last season, he homered to lead off the first inning eight times, giving him a total of 16 such home runs in the big leagues.

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O B E R K F E L L



KEN OBERKFELL is a veteran infielder who was acquired by the Pirates from the Atlanta Braves in August of 1988. His combined Atlanta-Pittsburgh stats last season included a .271 batting average with three homers and 42 RBI.

He is capable of playing all four infield positions, but will primarily be used to back up Jose Lind at second base and Bobby Bonilla at third. The lefthanded-hitting Oberkfell will also be counted on heavily in pinch-hitting situations this season.

The 32-year-old Oberkfell is recognized

as one of the best contact hitters in the game. He has spent 10 full seasons in the majors and has collected 1,241 hits over the course of his career. "Obie" made his major league debut with St. Louis in 1977 and he spent five full seasons in a Cardinals' uniform before being traded to Atlanta in June of 1984. Twice Oberkfell hit .300 for St. Louis, posting a .301 batting average in 1979 and a .303 mark in 1980. He is a .282 lifetime hitter whose lowest batting average in the majors was the combined .269 he hit with St. Louis and Atlanta in 1984.

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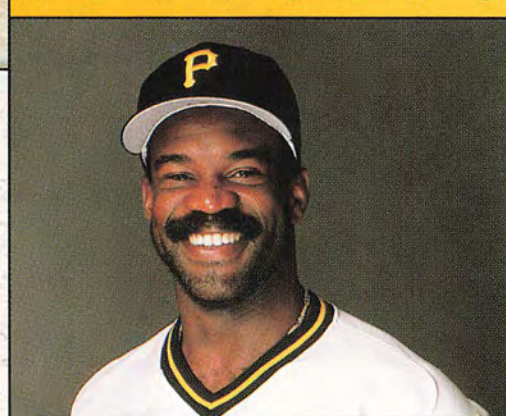


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R E Y N O L D S



R.J. REYNOLDS batted .248 with six homers and 51 RBI in 1988, his third full season with the Pirates.

The switch-hitting outfielder was one of Pittsburgh's most productive pinch-hitters as he collected 11 RBI in that role, tying him for second in the majors with Kansas City's Bill Buckner. Montreal's Graig Nettles led the big leagues with 13 pinch-hit RBI. The last Pirate with more than 11 pinch-hit RBI in a single season was Willie Stargell who had 16 in 1982.

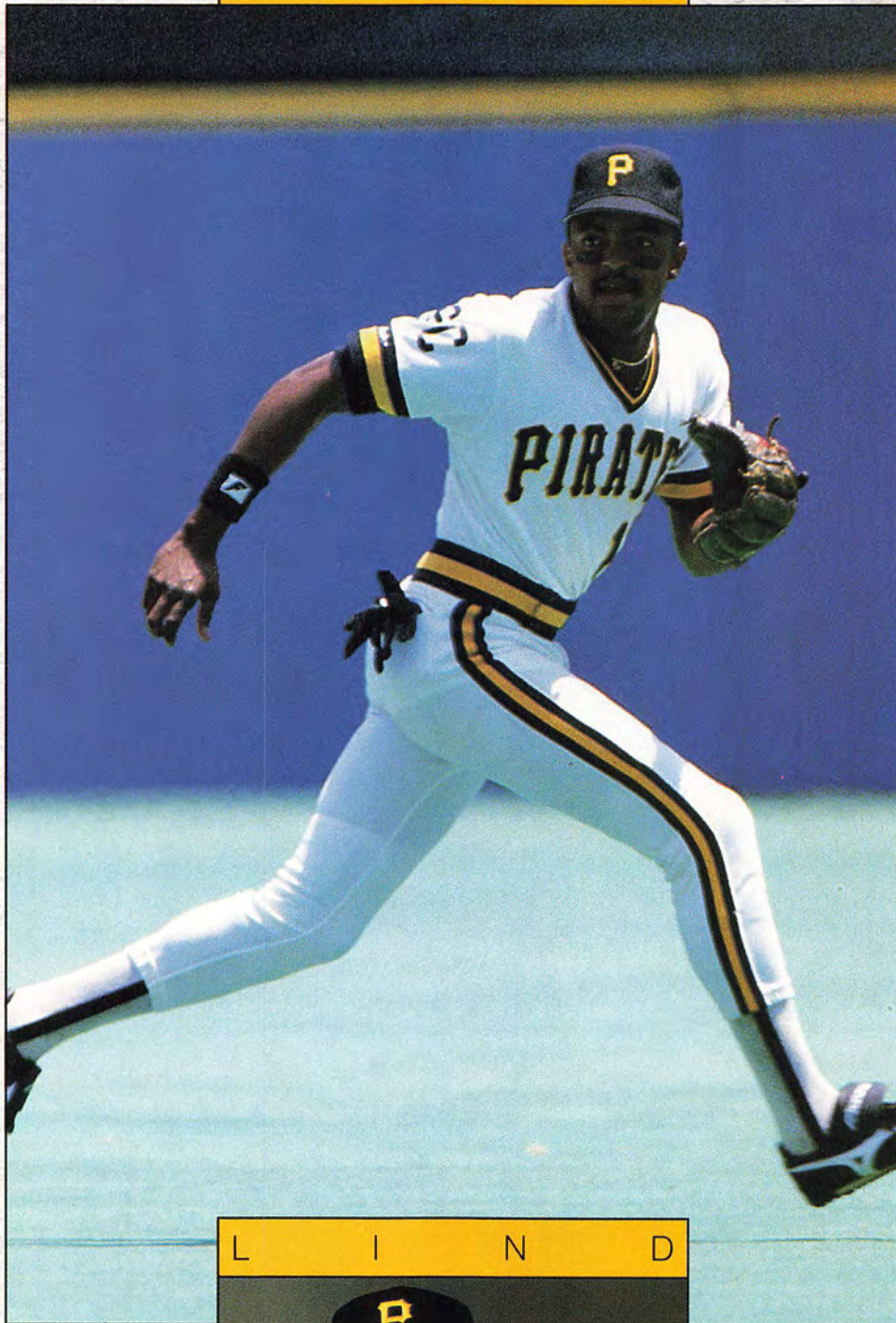
Reynolds, who can play all three outfield

positions, has been an extremely successful base stealer the past two seasons. He swiped 14 bases in 15 attempts (.933 success rate) in 1987 and 15 in 17 attempts (.882) last year.

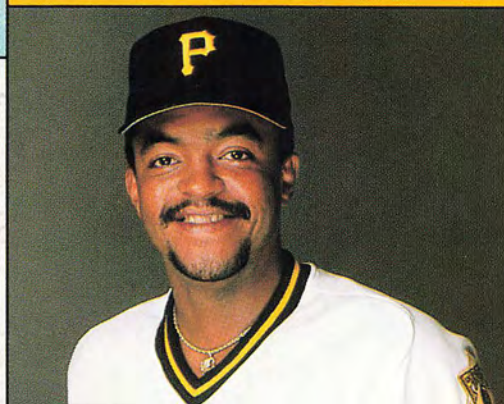
A product of the Dodger farm system, R.J. (which stands for Robert James) made his major league debut with Los Angeles in 1983 and he was acquired by the Pirates late in the 1985 season in the Bill Madlock deal. Reynolds batted .269 with nine homers and 48 RBI for the Pirates in 1986 and .260 with seven homers and 51 RBI in 1987.

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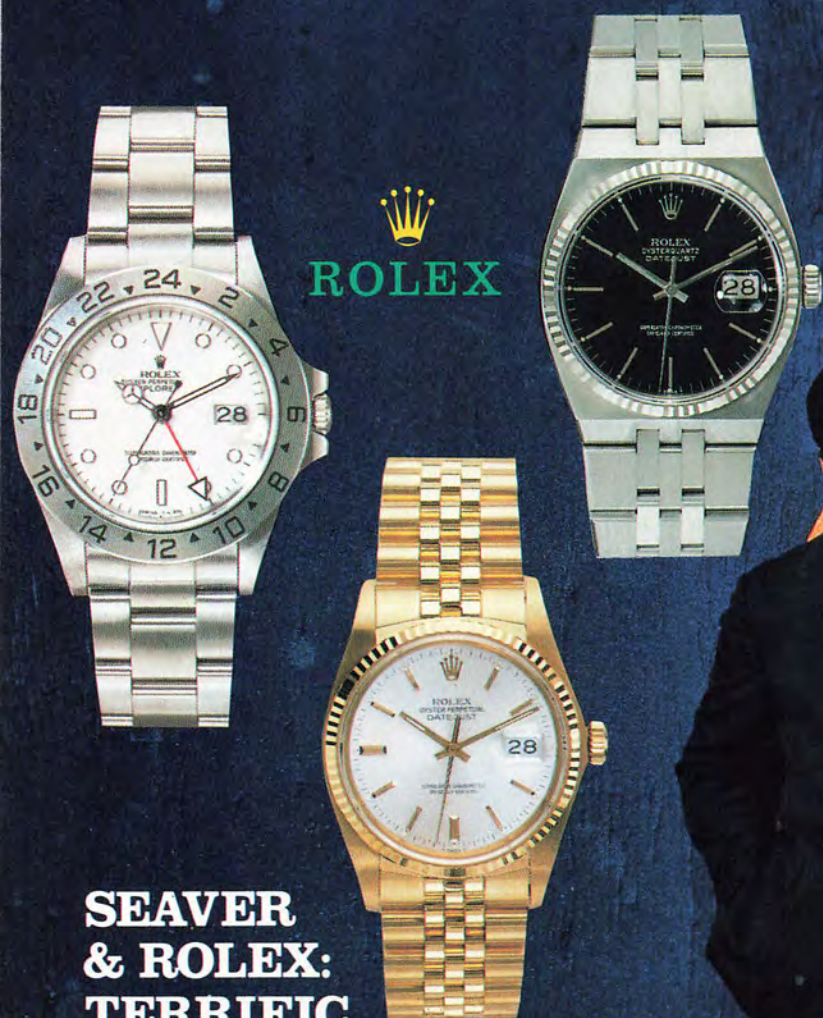


JOSE LIND has quickly gained a reputation as one of baseball's most exciting young second basemen.

"Chico" burst onto the major league scene in 1987 when he was called up from Vancouver (AAA) on August 27th. He became the Pirates' regular second baseman two days later when veteran Johnny Ray was traded to the California Angels. In 35 games with Pittsburgh, he batted .322 and hit safely in 28 of 34 starts. Lind was also a Pacific Coast League All-Star that year as he hit .268 with three home runs and 30 RBI in 128

games and led the league in putouts (311), assists (432), total chances (764) and double plays (84).

In 1988, his first full season in the majors, the 24-year-old Lind batted a respectable .262 with two home runs and 49 RBI in 154 games. He was also third among N.L. second basemen with a .987 fielding percentage. Numbers alone, however, do not tell the entire story. Lind's fielding often bordered on spectacular.



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Tom Seaver filled a 20-year storybook career with virtually every award bestowed on a baseball player. A future Hall-of-Famer, "Tom Terrific" was Rookie of the Year, three-time Cy Young recipient, winner of 311 games, and the mainstay of the 1969 Miracle Mets World Championship team. But beyond statistics and awards, Tom's intellectual approach to the game set a professional standard which won him the respect of the entire sports world. Also respected is his choice of a timepiece: The Rolex Oyster Chronometer. Pressure-proof down to 330 feet in its seamless Oyster case, it is available only at your Official Rolex Jeweler.



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B E L L I A R D



RAFAEL BELLIARD has been a stand-out defensive performer throughout his major league career and he proved it again in 1988.

The 27-year-old Belliard led all National League shortstops in fielding percentage, becoming the first Pirate to do so since Tim Foli in 1980. Ozzie Smith of the St. Louis Cardinals led N.L. shortstops in that department the four previous seasons and six of the last seven.

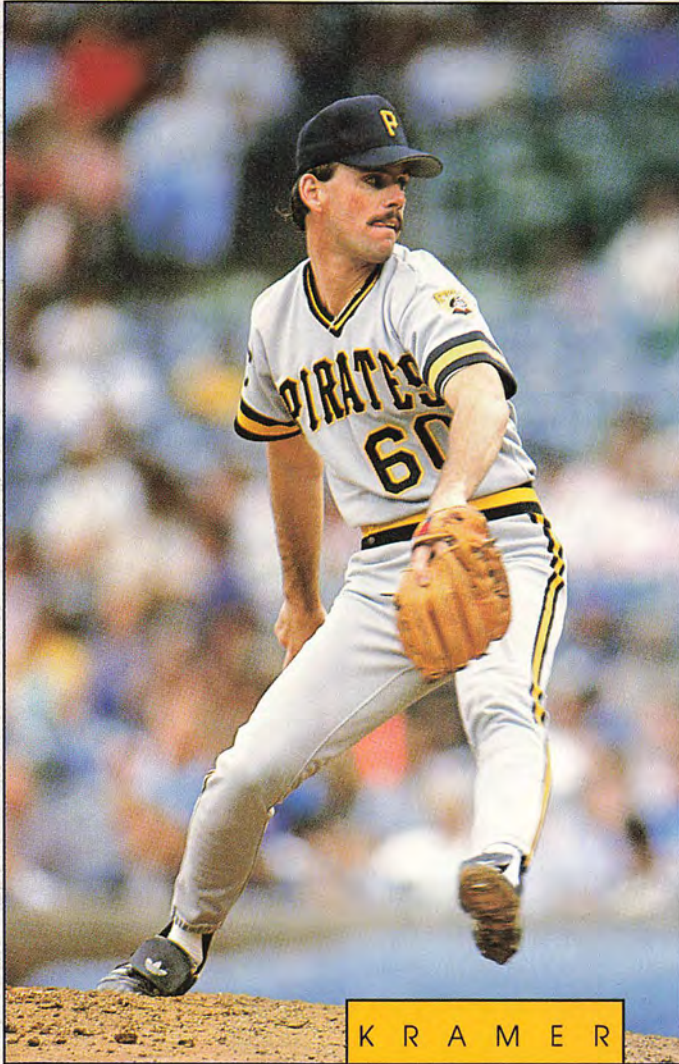
Belliard committed only nine errors in 398 total chances at shortstop during the 1988 season. He appeared in 117 games at the posi-

tion and made 92 starts. In addition, he batted .213 with no homers and 11 RBI and he played in a career-high 122 games.

A native of the Dominican Republic, Belliard is nicknamed "Pac Man" for his ability to "gobble up" ground balls. He has spent at least part of the past seven seasons with the Pirates. Belliard signed with Pittsburgh during the summer of 1980 when he was just 18. He made his major league debut in September of 1982, completing the climb from the Gulf Coast Rookie League to the big leagues in just over two seasons.

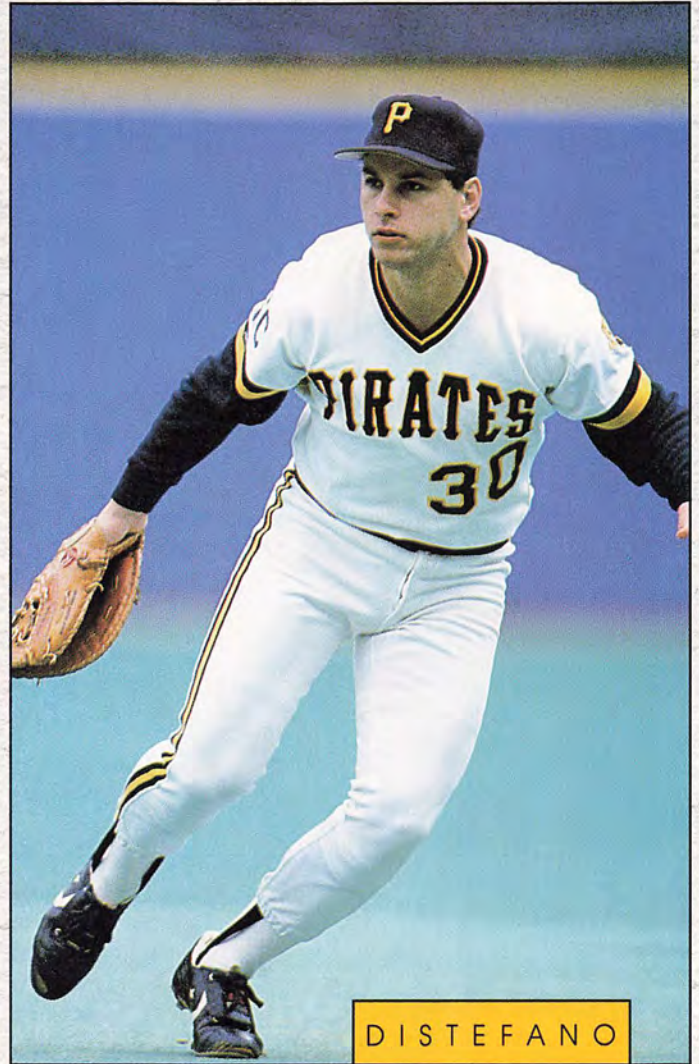
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K R A M E R

RANDY KRAMER is a hard-throwing righthander who was 10-8 with a 3.13 ERA at Buffalo (AAA) last season. He led the American Association in innings pitched (198.1) and was third in strikeouts (120). The 28-year-old Kramer made his major league debut with the Pirates last September. He was acquired from the Texas Rangers' organization in September of 1986.



D I S T E F A N O

BENNY DISTEFANO was the top run producer for the Pirates' Buffalo (AAA) farm club last season. The 27-year-old first baseman-outfielder hit .263 and led the team with 16 homers and 63 RBI. Distefano, a veteran of seven years in professional baseball, has spent parts of three seasons with the Pirates. He hit .345 in 16 games with Pittsburgh last season after being called up in September.



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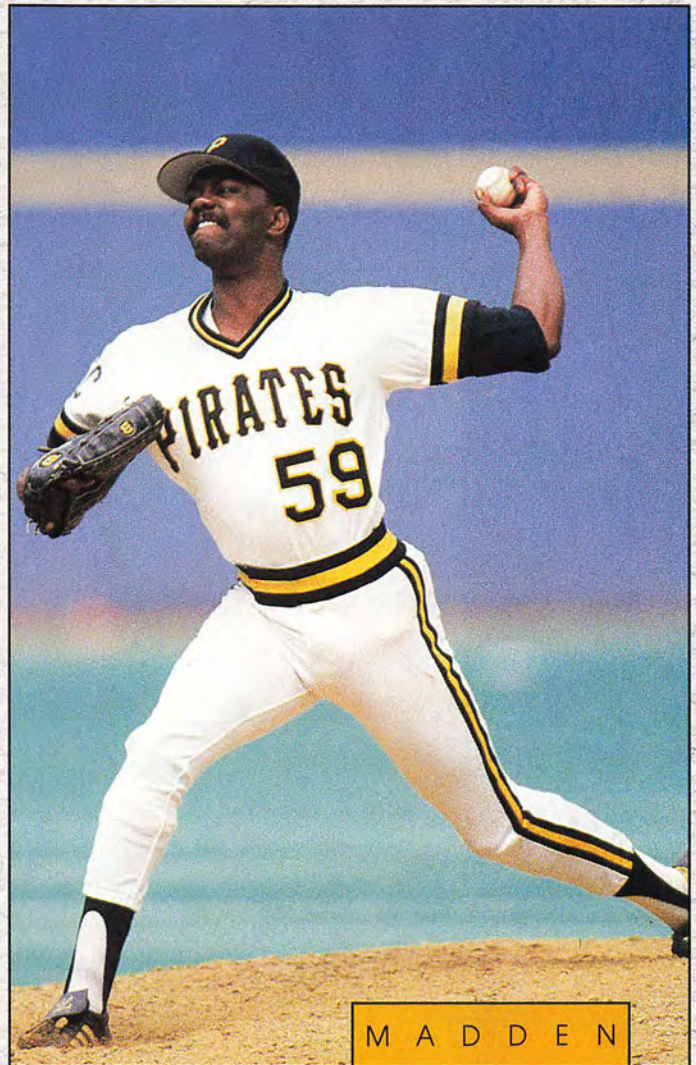


P R I N C E



TOM PRINCE is a righthanded-hitting catcher who batted .260 with

14 home runs and 42 RBI at Buffalo (AAA) last season. He was called up by the Pirates on July 28th after Junior Ortiz suffered a broken collarbone. The 24-year-old Prince was the Eastern League's All-Star catcher in 1987 when he batted .307 with six homers and 54 RBI for Harrisburg (AA).



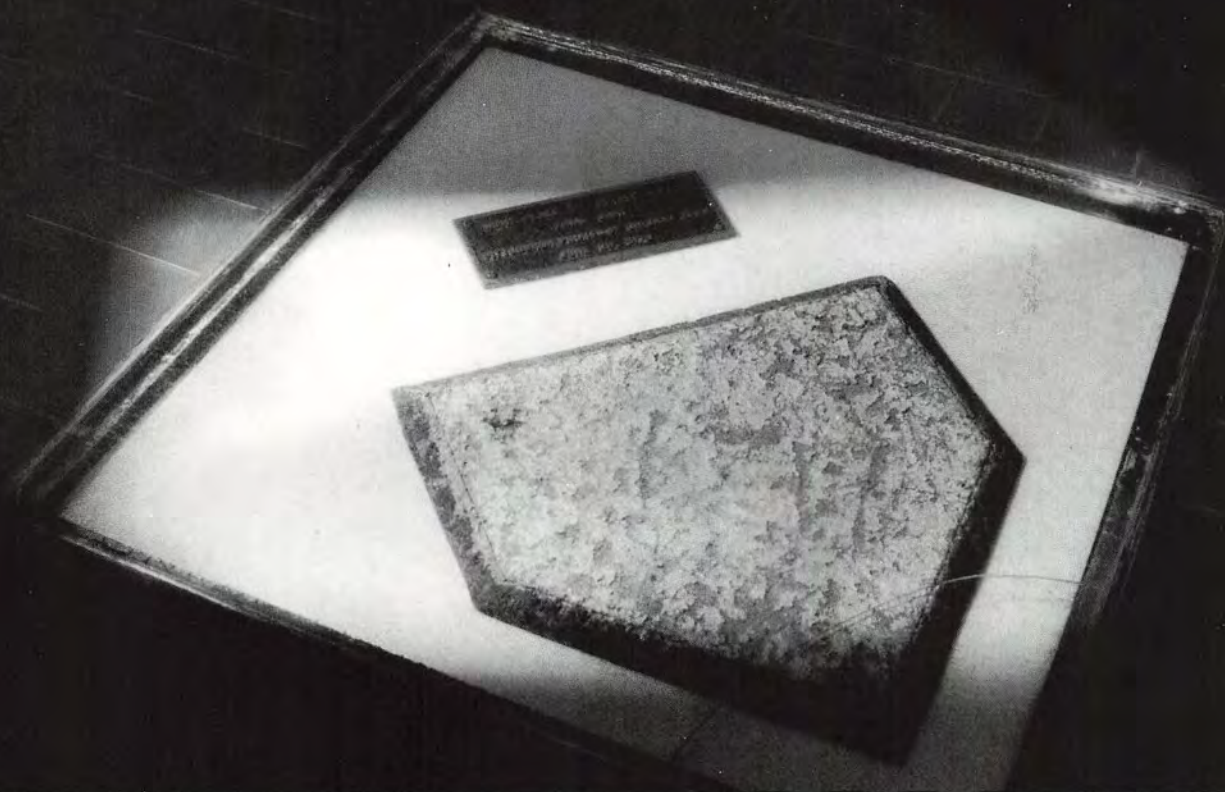
M A D D E N



MORRIS MADDEN is a left-handed

pitcher who worked as a starter and a reliever at Buffalo (AAA) in 1988. He was 5-6 with one save and a 3.48 ERA in 21 appearances (14 starts). The 28-year-old Madden also appeared in five games for the Pirates toward the end of the season. He and Darnell Coles were acquired from Detroit in exchange for Jim Morrison in August of 1987.

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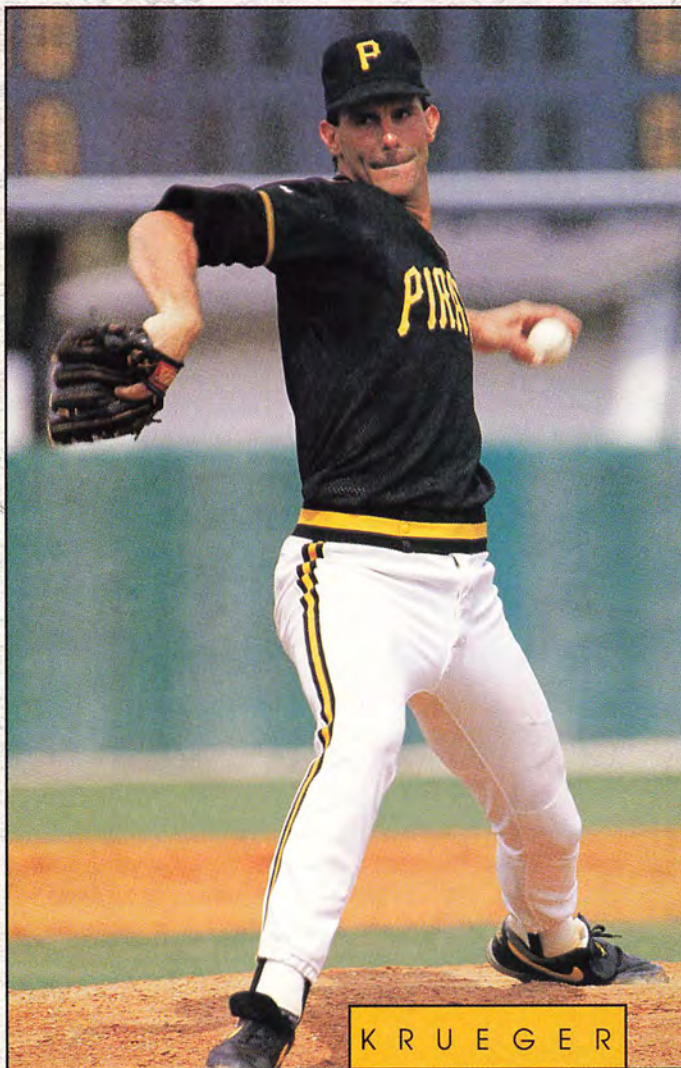
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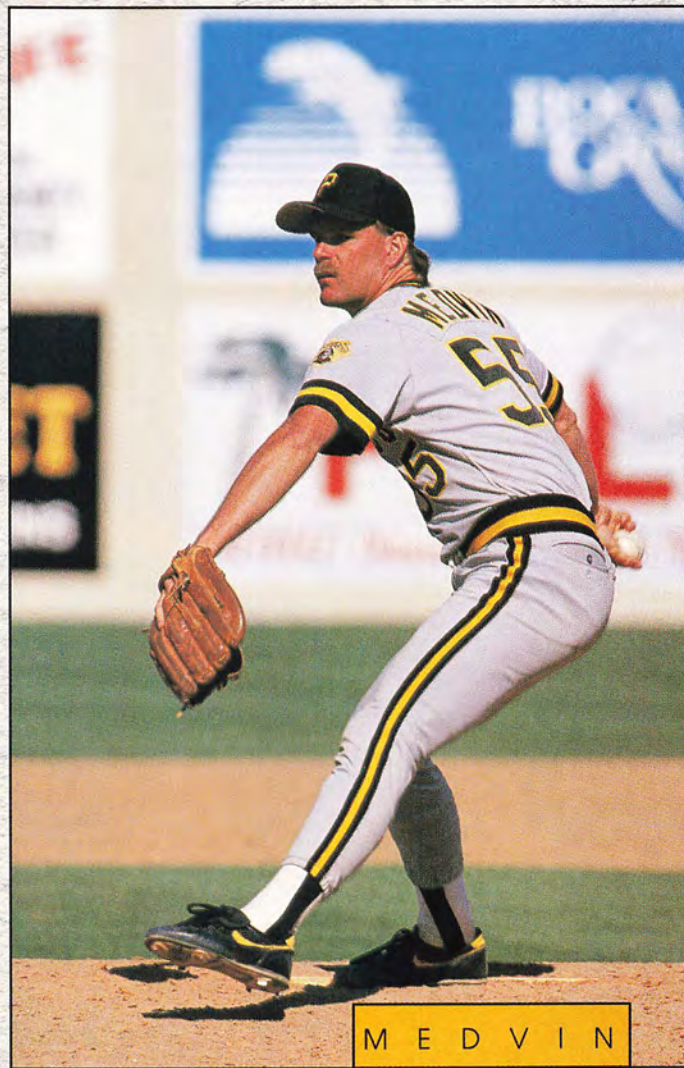
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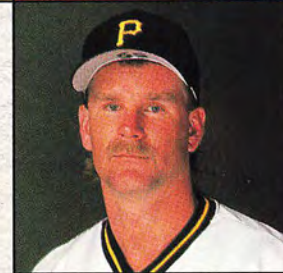
K R U E G E R



BILL KRUEGER is a 30-year-old lefthander who was acquired from the Los Angeles Dodgers' organization last October. He was 15-5 with a 3.01 ERA at Albuquerque (AAA) in 1988. Krueger was named to the Pacific Coast League All-Star team after leading the league in wins, ERA and shutouts (four). He pitched for the Oakland A's for parts of five seasons (1983-87).



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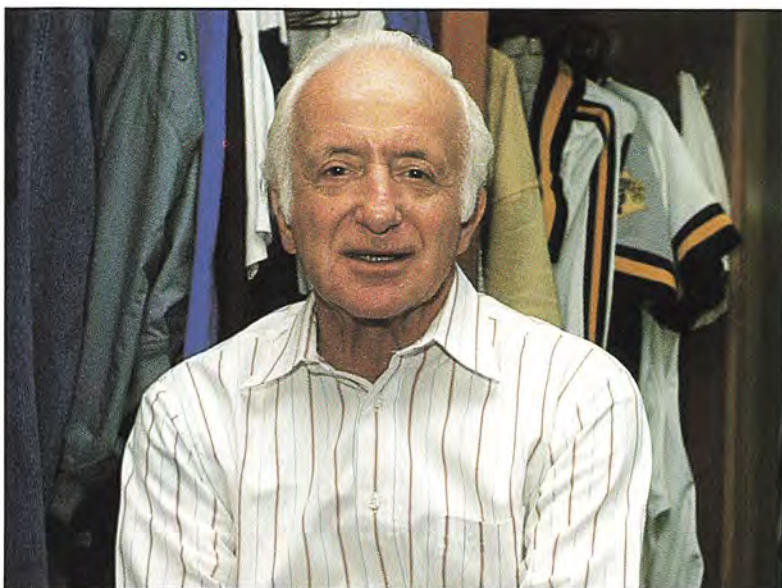
SCOTT MEDVIN is a 27-year-old righthander who was the top reliever at Buffalo (AAA) last season. He went 5-4 with 12 saves and a 2.41 ERA in 39 appearances. Medvin was also 3-0 with a 4.88 ERA in 17 games with Pittsburgh in 1988. He was acquired from the San Francisco Giants in the Rick Reuschel-Jeff Robinson deal in August of 1987.



(L-R) Vince Lascheid, Art McKennan and Tim DeBacco.



Warren Sipp



John Hallahan

BEHIND THE SCENES

WARREN SIPP joined the Pirate organization as strength and conditioning coach in April of 1986. He is primarily responsible for the year-round conditioning of the Bucs' major league players, but he also works with the club's minor leaguers.

Conditioning programs are optional for major league players and mandatory for minor leaguers. Sipp, who previously worked in a similar capacity at the University of Pittsburgh, emphasizes forearms, wrists and hands with hitters and legs, abdominals and upper shoulders with pitchers. He is concerned about flexibility and the appropriate levels of strength. He also believes that proper conditioning can help players avoid injuries.

"My responsibility is to help the players maintain a level of conditioning that will allow them to function at their maximum capacity," Sipp said. "We tailor each player's program to meet their changing needs and that's important because their needs do change over the course of a long season. Another part of my job is to keep players from training improperly. Too much bulk can interfere with throwing and batting mechanics and make a player more susceptible to injuries."

JOHN HALLAHAN was named the Pirates' head equipment manager in 1957 and he has able served the organization in that capacity for the past 32 seasons. His job is to order all the team's equipment, maintain it and also transport it when the team is on the road. That includes bats, balls, catcher's equipment, uniforms and everything else Pirate players need to perform their jobs each day.

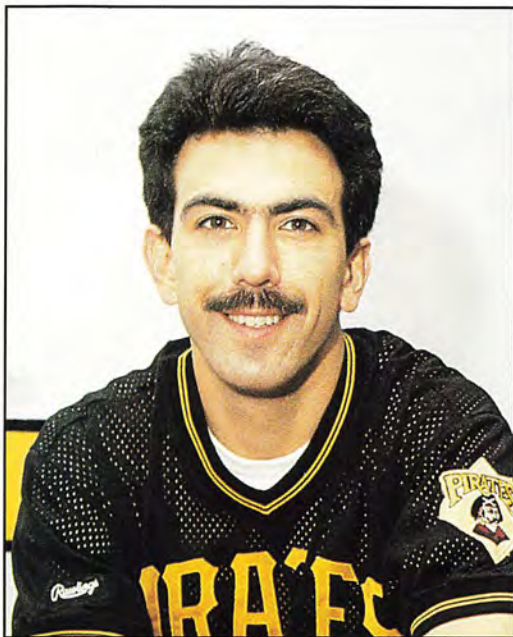
Hallahan gets to the ballpark about 9:00 AM for day games and about 2:00 PM for night games. Most often he doesn't leave until two or three hours after the game. In addition to his regular duties, he is also responsible for providing food service in the home and visiting clubhouses before and after each Pirate home game.

"Some people might think that working in a major league clubhouse is very glamorous," Hallahan said. "I enjoy associating with the players and their different personalities a great deal, but there is an awful lot of work involved."

Hallahan began his career in baseball in 1941 when, at the age of 13, he served as a bat boy and a clubhouse helper. "Hully" became the Pirates' assistant clubhouse manager in 1948.

KENT BIGGERSTAFF and DAVE TUMBAS comprise the Pirates' training staff. Biggerstaff is in his eighth season as a Pirate trainer and his fourth

Dave Tumbas



Kent Biggerstaff



season as the club's head trainer. Tumbas is in his eighth season as a trainer in the Pirate organization and his fourth as the club's assistant trainer at the major league level. Together they are responsible for the care, prevention and rehabilitation of injuries.

Pirates Manager Jim Leyland said he relies heavily on Biggerstaff and Tumbas for information regarding injuries. More specifically, he needs to know what a player is capable of on a given day. If the injury is more severe, he needs to know how long the player is likely to be out of action. The former affects game strategy and the latter affects possible roster moves.

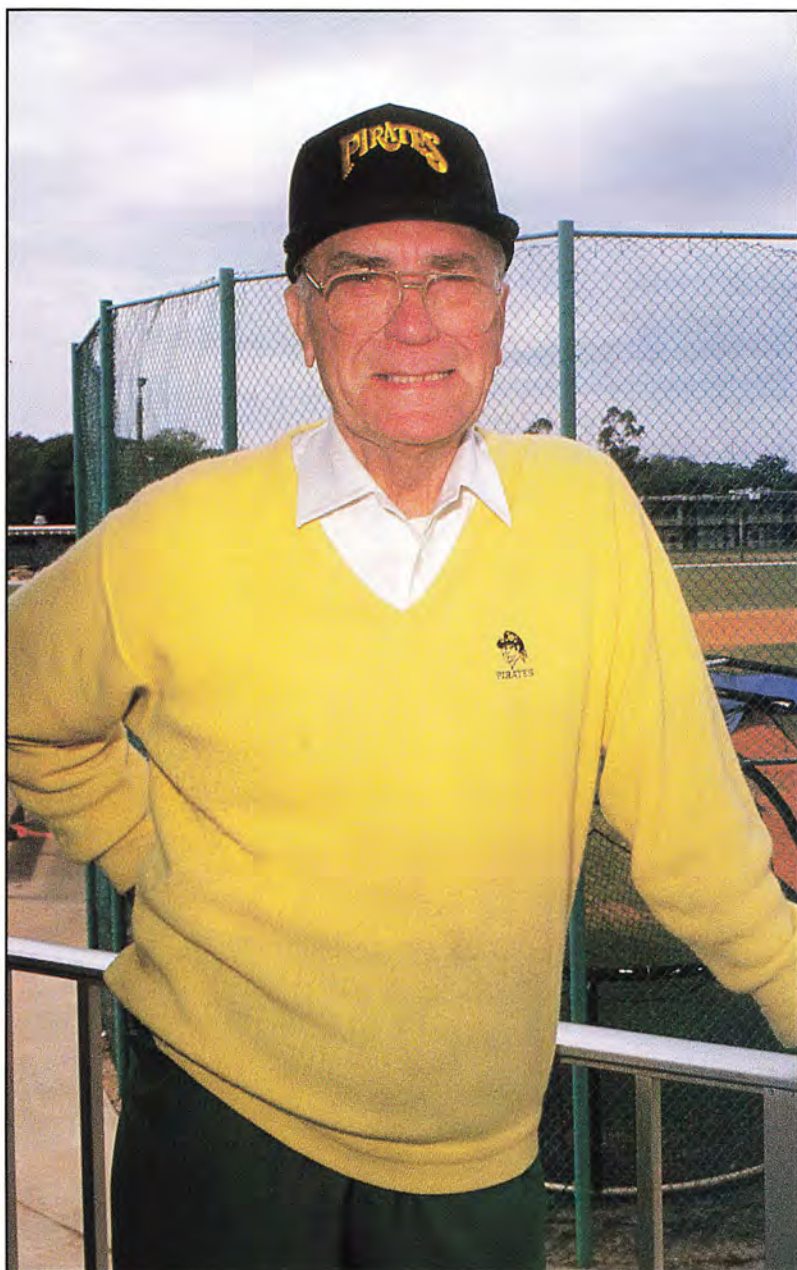
"Your trainers never get a whole lot of credit, but these guys are priceless," Leyland said. "Biggie and Dave are well educated and they have a good feel for what they are doing. The information you get from your trainers can be very important, so in that regard they really do have an impact on the success of the club."

VINCE LASCHIED is known for his musical creativity as the organist at Three Rivers Stadium. He has entertained fans at Pirate home games for nine seasons. Lascheid also performs during Penguin games at the Civic Arena and he has also played Steeler games.

TIM DEBACCO is entering his second season as the Pirates' public address announcer. The 24-year-old DeBacco is also employed as a producer/editor for New Perspective Productions, Inc., a television productions company in nearby Shadyside.

ART McKENNAN served as the Pirates' public address announcer for the better part of four decades (1948-1986). The 82-year-old McKennan can still be heard at Three Rivers Stadium during Sunday afternoon home games. The life-long Pittsburgh resident also still operates the game-in-progress board at all Pirate home games. His association with the Pirates began in 1919 when, at the age of 11, he was a clubhouse boy at Forbes Field.

CHARLEY MUSE is retiring this year as traveling secretary of the Pittsburgh Pirates, a position he has held the past 12 seasons. Since 1938, he has served the Pirates organization in a variety of roles; including minor league player, minor league manager, scout, ticket manager, director of stadium operations, and traveling secretary. Muse will assume part-time scouting duties for the club in 1989, based from his home in Sun City, FL. Former Media Relations Director Greg Johnson has replaced Muse as the club's traveling secretary.



Charley Muse

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(STANDING LEFT TO RIGHT)—Jim Rooker, John Sanders and Steve Blass. (SITTING)—Lanny Frattare.

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The familiar and experienced broadcast crew of Lanny Frattare, Jim Rooker, John Sanders and Steve Blass returns to call the exciting action of Pirate baseball in 1989. Frattare and Sanders will do the play-by-play, while former Pirate pitchers Rooker and Blass will serve as color analysts. All four men will once again work on all three mediums—radio, television and cable television.

The 1989 season will be Frattare's 14th as a Pirate broadcaster. Pittsburgh legends Bob Prince (28 years) and Rosey Rowswell (19 years) are the only men who have described Pirate action longer. As "The Voice of the Pirates," Frattare has the lead role in all of the club's broadcasting efforts. The Rochester, NY, native began his association with the Pirates in 1974 when he served as broadcaster for Pittsburgh's Triple-A affiliate, the Charleston Charlies. Frattare did the Charlies' games for two years before joining the Pirates' broadcast crew in 1976.

Rooker returns for his ninth season behind the Pirate microphones. The former lefthanded pitcher won 103 games during his 13-year major league career, including 82 in eight seasons with the Pirates. He was a 15-game winner with Pittsburgh twice, going 15-11 in 1974 and 15-8 in 1976. Rooker was also a member of the Bucs' 1979 World Championship team.

Sanders is back for his eighth full season of broadcasting Pirate baseball. He joined the staff at flagship station KDKA-TV as a sports anchor in 1978 and was named sports director in 1980. Along with his work on Pirate broadcasts, Sanders keeps busy year-round with numerous college baseball, football and basketball assignments all across the country.

Blass joined the KDKA-TV and TCI Cable broadcast crews in 1986. He also worked on Pirate cable telecasts with Prince in 1982 and 1983. Blass, a former righthanded pitcher, spent his entire 10-year big league career with Pittsburgh and compiled a 103-76 record. He was one of the Pirates' heroes in the 1971 World Series when he picked up complete-game victories in Game #3 and Game #7. Blass had his finest year in 1972 when he went 19-8 with a 2.29 ERA and was named to the National League All-Star team.

During the 1989 season, all Pirate games can once again be heard on flagship station KDKA Radio (1020 AM) and nearly 40 other stations along the Pirate Radio Network. The Pirates and KDKA Radio have been affiliated with each other every year since 1955. The Pirate Radio Network brings the action to fans in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland, West Virginia and Florida (Bradenton).

A total of 107 of the Pirates' 162 regular season games will be available for viewing on the club's commercial and cable TV packages in 1989. Forty-eight games will be carried by KDKA-TV and five other Pirate Television Network stations. An additional 59 games will be broadcast by the KBL Entertainment Network (TCI Cable) which has outlets in Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Maryland and New York.

In addition to the local schedules, the Pirates will appear on national television eight times during the 1989 season—seven times on NBC's Game-of-the-Week and once on the ABC package.

1989 PIRATE RADIO NETWORK

PENNSYLVANIA	Indiana, WCCS (1150 AM)	Morgantown, WAJR (1440 AM)
Pittsburgh, KDKA (1020 AM)	Johnstown, WJNL (1490 AM)	New Martinsville, WETZ (1330 AM)
Altoona, WVAM (1430 AM)	Latrobe, WCNS (1480 AM)	Parkersburg, WADC (1050 AM)
Ambridge, WMBA (1460 AM)	Loretto, WAMO (1400 AM)	Weirton, WEIR (1430 AM)
Bedford, WBFO (1310 AM)	Meadville, WMGW (1490 AM)	Wheeling, WKWK (1400 AM)
Bedford, WRAX (100.9 FM)	New Castle, WKST (1280 AM)	
Bradford, WESB (1490 AM)	St. Mary's, WKBI (1400 AM)	
Carlisle, WIOG (1000 AM)	Somerset, WVSC (990 AM)	
Charlottesville, WESA (940 AM)	State College, WMAJ (1450 AM)	
Connellsville, WCVB (1340 AM)	Tyrone, WTRN (1340 AM)	OHIO
Couersport, WFRM (600 AM)	Uniontown, WMBS (590 AM)	E. Liverpool, WOHI (1490 AM)
DuBois, WOWO (102.1 FM)	Washington, WJPA (1450 AM)	Youngstown, WFMJ (1390 AM)
Elizabethtown, WPDG (1600 AM)	Waynesburg, WANB (1580 AM)	
Erie, WEYZ (1450 AM)		MARYLAND
Franklin, WFRB (1450 AM)		Cumberland, WCBC (1270 AM)
Greenville, WEXC (107.1 FM)	WEST VIRGINIA	
Harrisburg, WHGB (1400 AM)	Beckley, WBNR (620 AM)	
Huntingdon, WHUM (1150 AM)	Clarksburg, WHAR (1340 AM)	
	Fairmont, WMNN (920 AM)	FLORIDA
	Keyser, WKLP (1390 AM)	Bradenton, WBRD (1420 AM)

1989 PIRATE TELEVISION NETWORK

KDKA (2)—PITTSBURGH	WKBN (27)—Youngstown, OH
WWCP (8)—Altoona, PA	WPMT (43)—York, PA
WWPC (23)—Johnstown, PA	WETG (66)—Erie, PA
WVAH (23)—Charleston, WV	



BOBBY BONILLA beat out future Hall-of-Famer Mike Schmidt to become the National League's starting third baseman in the 1988 All-Star game.

19 SEASON

The 1988 season was one of the most exciting in recent memory for the Pittsburgh Pirates and their fans. A 17-6 start by the Bucs made them one of the hottest stories in all of baseball during the first two months of the season. The early momentum carried over into a summer-long pennant race with the New York Mets and a second-place finish, Pittsburgh's highest since 1983. A club record 1,866,713 fans came through the turnstiles at Three Rivers Stadium in 1988, a season that was dedicated to the memory of Pittsburgh's late mayor, Richard S. Caliguiri.

The following is a chronological account of some of the more memorable highlights, achievements and other special moments of the 1988 Pittsburgh Pirates.

April 5th—The Pirates open the season with a 5-3 victory over Philadelphia at Veterans Stadium. Rightfielder DARNELL COLES was the offensive star for the Bucs, belting a three-run homer off Shane Rawley in a four-run fourth inning and then tripling in an insurance run in the eighth. JEFF ROBINSON preserved the victory for starter MIKE DUNNE by pitching 3.2 innings of two-hit relief.

April 6th—BOBBY BONILLA homers from both sides of the plate in the same game for the second time in his career. He hit a three-run homer off Kevin Gross batting lefthanded in the third inning and a two-run homer batting righthanded against Jeff Calhoun in the seventh. Bonilla's heroic effort is in vain as the Bucs drop a 6-5 decision to the Phillies in 14 innings.

April 11th—The largest crowd ever to see a baseball game in Pittsburgh visits Three Rivers Stadium to witness the Pirates' home opener against Philadelphia. The paid attendance was 54,089 and the total in the park was 57,102. It was the Pirates' first ever regular season sellout at Three Rivers Stadium and the Bucs responded by defeating the Phillies, 5-1. VICENTE PALACIOS saved the day for starter DOUG DRABEK by pitching out of a bases-loaded-and-nobody-out jam in the sixth. BARRY BONDS homered, tripled and scored two runs to lead the offense.

May 3rd—The Pirates endure a 14-6 loss in Los Angeles and press outfielder JOHN CANGELOSI into service as a pitcher in the process. Cangy, who was on the mound for the first time in his professional career, pitched two scoreless innings and allowed only one hit. It was the first time a position player pitched for Pittsburgh since Mario Mendoza took the hill in a game at St. Louis on June 28, 1977.

May 4th—Bonilla is named the National League Player-of-the-Month for the month of April. He started all 22 games for the Pirates during the month and hit .341 with seven home runs and 18 RBI. Bonilla's hot bat helped Pittsburgh enjoy its finest April ever, going 16-6.

May 6th—Pittsburgh mourns the loss of its honorable Mayor Richard S. Caliguiri who died of heart failure stemming from the disease amyloidosis. It was Caliguiri's personal intervention that helped enable the Pirates to remain

Outfielder JOHN CANGELOSI was pressed into service as a pitcher at Los Angeles on May 3rd.



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in Pittsburgh when it appeared the city might lose the team in 1985. The Pirates dedicated the 1988 season to Caliguiri's memory with the players wearing the initials "RSC" on the right sleeve of their uniform jerseys.

May 8th—Drabek delights fans at Three Rivers Stadium by pitching a no-hitter against the Padres for eight innings. His bid for the record book ended when pinch-hitter Randy Ready led off the ninth with an infield single. Drabek yields a two-run homer to Marvell Wynne one out later and has to settle for a 6-2 victory.

May 12th—Pittsburgh homers three times off Orel Hershiser and defeats Los Angeles, 7-4, behind JOHN SMILEY at Three Rivers. Bonds hit a solo homer off Hershiser in the first inning and a two-run shot in the third. Bonilla added a three-run blast in the eighth against the National League's 1988 Cy Young Award winner.

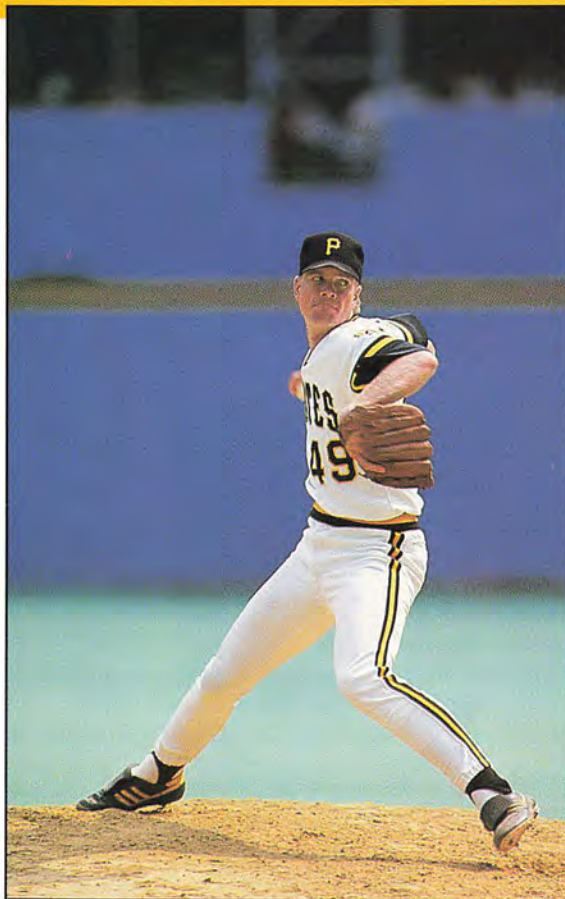
May 30th—The Pirates make Memorial Day a memorable occasion by enjoying their best offensive output of the season. Pittsburgh bangs out 18 hits against four Braves' pitchers in a 14-2 rout at Atlanta. The Bucs get at least one hit from all nine spots in the batting order. A two-run triple by Drabek was the highlight of a six-run fifth inning.

June 3rd—Lefthander JOHN SMILEY tosses a one-hitter and defeats Montreal, 2-1, at Three Rivers Stadium. The Expo's lone hit was a fourth-inning triple by Tim Wallach. After committing a balk that allowed Wallach to score, Smiley retired the final 16 batters on his way to victory. It was the first one-hitter by a Pirate since Jose DeLeon tossed one at Cincinnati on August 24, 1984.

June 4th—Bonilla is again honored as the National League Player-of-the-Month. In 28 games during the month of May, he batted .344 with six homers and 25 RBI. The only other Pirate ever to win consecutive player-of-the-month awards was Dave Parker in August and September of 1978. Parker also won the National League's Most Valuable Player award that year.

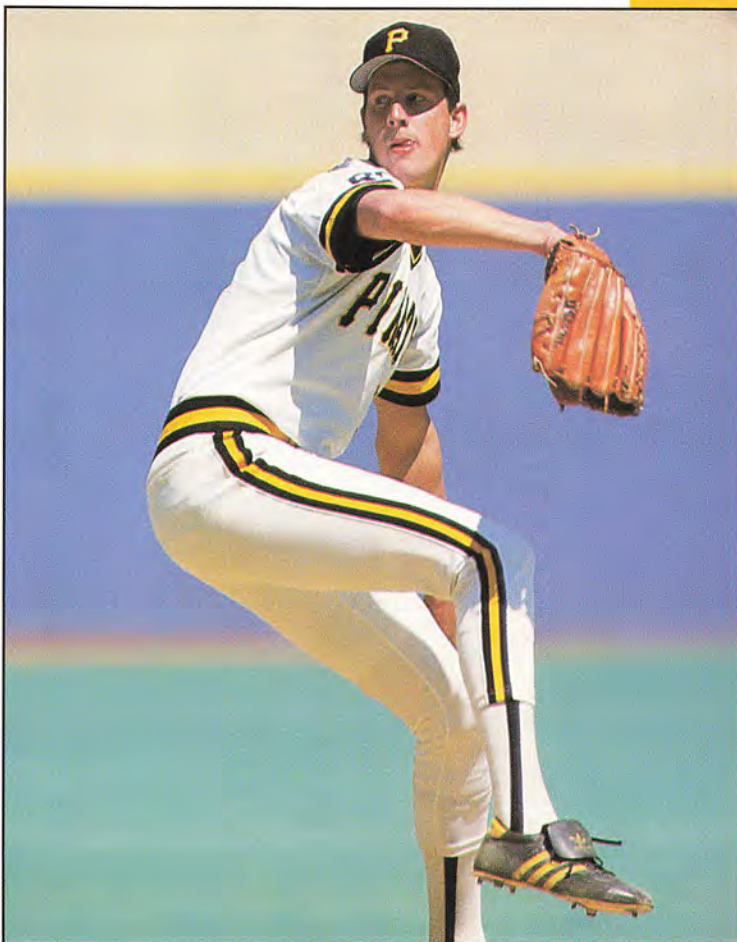
June 11th—Dunne walks 10 batters (none intentionally) but still manages to defeat the Phillies, 8-2, in a route-going performance at Three Rivers Stadium. He walked at least one batter in six different innings, but allowed only five hits—all singles. It was the most walks by a Pirate pitcher since Johnny Lindell also issued 10 at Brooklyn on April 15, 1953. Lindell was pitching as a converted outfielder that year.

June 26th—The Pirates complete their first-ever sweep of a four-game series in Montreal with a 3-0 victory over the Expos in a 10-inning affair at Olympic Stadium. Drabek, BOB KIPPER and Robinson combine on the three-hit shutout. Pittsburgh scratched for three runs off three Montreal relievers in the decisive 10th frame. One run scored a sacrifice fly by SID BREM and two more came across on a MIKE LAVALLIERE's double.



JEFF ROBINSON led all major league relievers with 124.2 innings pitched.

Lefthander JOHN SMILEY emerged as an effective starter in his first season in that role.



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June 29th—Howard Johnson of the Mets homers off Gott with two outs in the top of the ninth to force a 7-7 tie and extra innings. New York captures an 8-7 victory when pitcher Roger McDowell doubled and scored the winning run in the 11th inning.

July 5th—ANDY VAN SLYKE chokes off the tying run at the plate in the bottom of the ninth at San Diego to protect a 3-2 Pirate victory. His near-perfect throw cut down the Padres' John Kruk who tried to score from second base on a single. Kruk was one of nine victims Van Slyke nabbed at the plate during the 1988 season. He led Pirate outfielders with 12 assists.

July 10th—Righthander BOB WALK allows just five hits and one earned run in eight innings as he defeats Los Angeles, 7-2 at Dodger Stadium. It is victory #10 of the season for Walk, making him the Pirates' first 10-game winner at the All-Star break since Don Robinson in 1982.

July 12th—Bonilla, Van Slyke, and Walk appear in the All-Star Game at Cincinnati's Riverfront Stadium. Bonilla became the National League's starting third baseman by beating out future Hall-of-Famer Mike Schmidt in the balloting. In doing so, he became the first Pirate since Dave Parker in 1981 to be elected to the team. The 1981 season was also the last time Pittsburgh had three or more players on the squad. Mike Easler, Phil Garner and Bill Madlock made the team along with Parker that season.

July 17th—The Pirates defeat San Francisco, 5-4, at Three Rivers Stadium as Bonds belts a two-run, pinch-hit homer off Joe Price in the bottom of the eighth. It was Pittsburgh's ninth straight victory, a streak which began with a 3-2 triumph at San Diego on July 5th. Nine in a row was the Pirates' longest winning streak of the season and the longest since they also won nine in a row in 1983.

July 21st—A 3-2 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers at Three Rivers improves the Pirates' record to 56-38 and pulls them to within a half game of the division-leading New York Mets. Being 18 games over the .500 mark would turn out to be the Bucs' high-water mark for the season. After the game, the club announced that Coles had been traded to Seattle in exchange for veteran outfielder GLENN WILSON.

August 8th—RICK REED faces the New York Mets in his major league debut and pitches eight scoreless innings before giving way to JIM GOTT, who preserves a 1-0 victory. The 23-year-old righthander who began the season with the Pirates' Class A club at Salem (VA), allowed the first-place Mets just three hits. Reed became the first player from Pittsburgh's 1986 draft class to reach the majors. Ironically, he was the Pirates' 26th round draft selection that year.

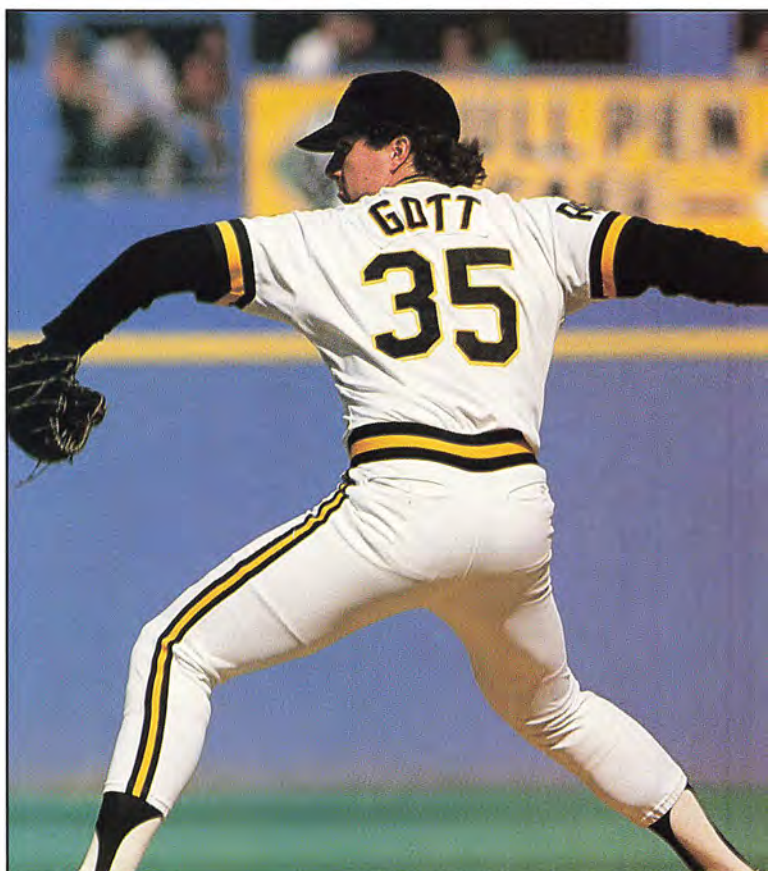
August 13th—Bonds goes 4-for-6 with two home runs and five RBI in a 10-4 win at Philadelphia. It was Barry's third two-homer game of the season. His father, Bobby Bonds, hit a home run in an Old Timers Game that was played at Veterans Stadium prior to the Bucs-Phillies game.

August 15th—A third-inning triple by Van Slyke off Atlanta's John Smoltz is his 15th of the season. Although it turned out to be his final triple of the year, he still managed to lead the majors in that department. Van Slyke's total was also the most by a Pirate since 1944 when Johnny Barrett had 19 and Bob Elliott had 16.

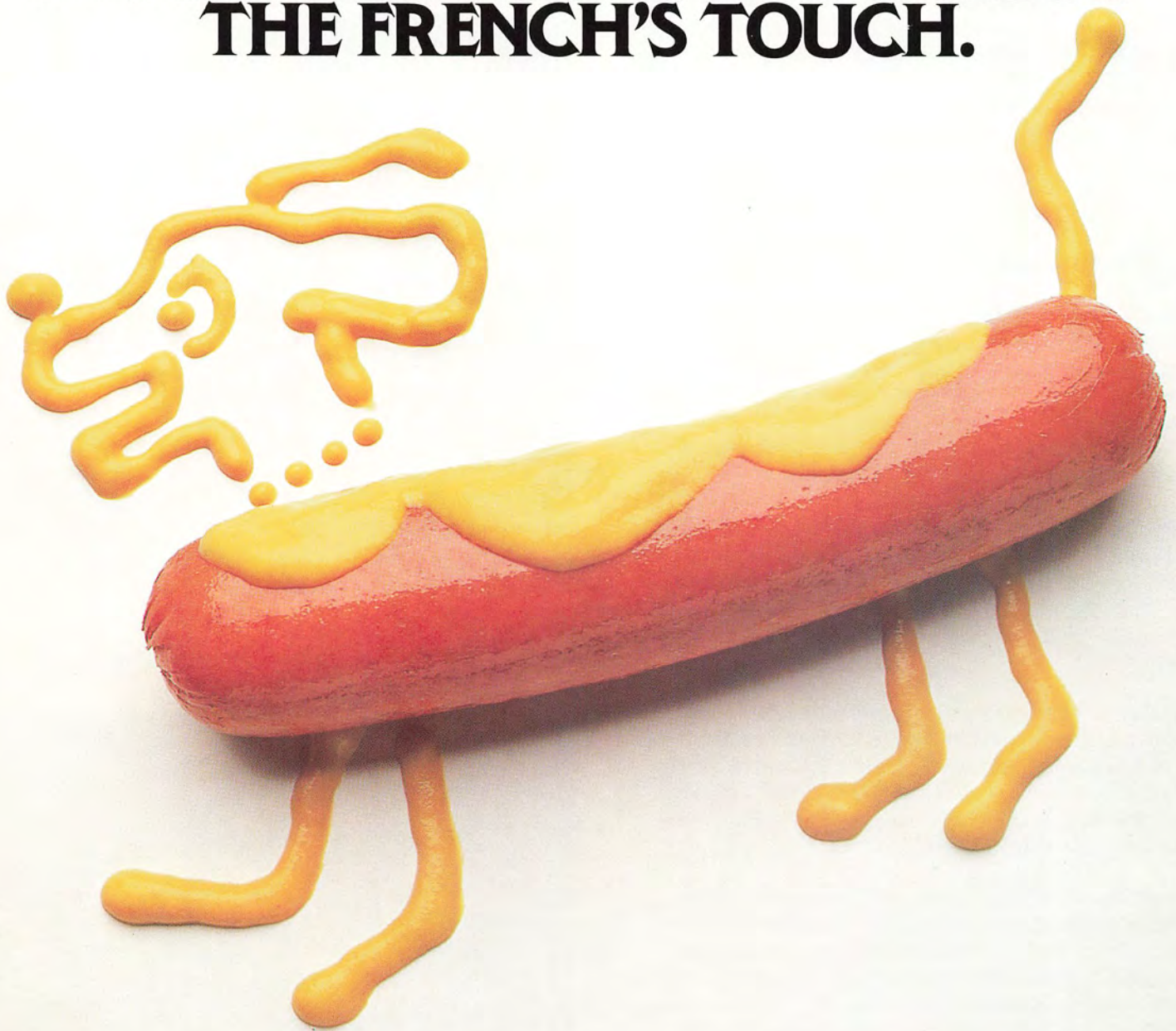
In 1988, the Bucs spelled relief G-O-T-T as veteran righthander JIM GOTT racked up a club record of 34 saves.



ANDY VAN SLYKE enjoyed a sensational season in 1988 and was named The Sporting News National League Player-of-the-Year.



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August 22nd—Drabek allows only one earned run, but suffers a 2-0 defeat at the hands of Danny Jackson and the Cincinnati Reds at Three Rivers Stadium. The loss snaps a seven-game personal winning streak for Drabek, the longest such streak by a Pirate since John Candelaria won eight straight in 1983.

September 8th—The Pirates surpass their all-time single season attendance record when paying customer number 1,705,829—Shellie Smith of Washington, PA—comes through the turnstiles at Three Rivers Stadium. The previous record of 1,705,828 was set during the 1960 World Championship season at Forbes Field. Smith, a 20-year-old secondary education student at the University of Pittsburgh, received a Pirate jacket, a pair of 1989 Pirate season tickets, a trip for two on the Pirates' Caribbean Cruise and a trip for two to spring training in Bradenton, FL...all for being in the right place at the right time.

September 20th—Gott establishes a new club record for saves in a single season by picking up his 32nd in a 5-1 victory over the Cardinals at Busch Memorial Stadium. The old mark of 31 was achieved by Kent Tekulve in 1978 and again during the 1979 World Championship season. It was also the seventh consecutive appearance in which Gott had recorded a save, which tied a club record he set in 1987. Gott would raise his total to 34 saves by season's end.

September 27th—The Pirates clinch second place in dramatic fashion as Van Slyke throws out Jose Oquendo at the plate to end the game, preserving a 3-2 victory over the Cardinals at Three Rivers Stadium. LaValliere did his part by masterfully blocking Oquendo off the plate and getting the call from home plate umpire Doug Harvey.

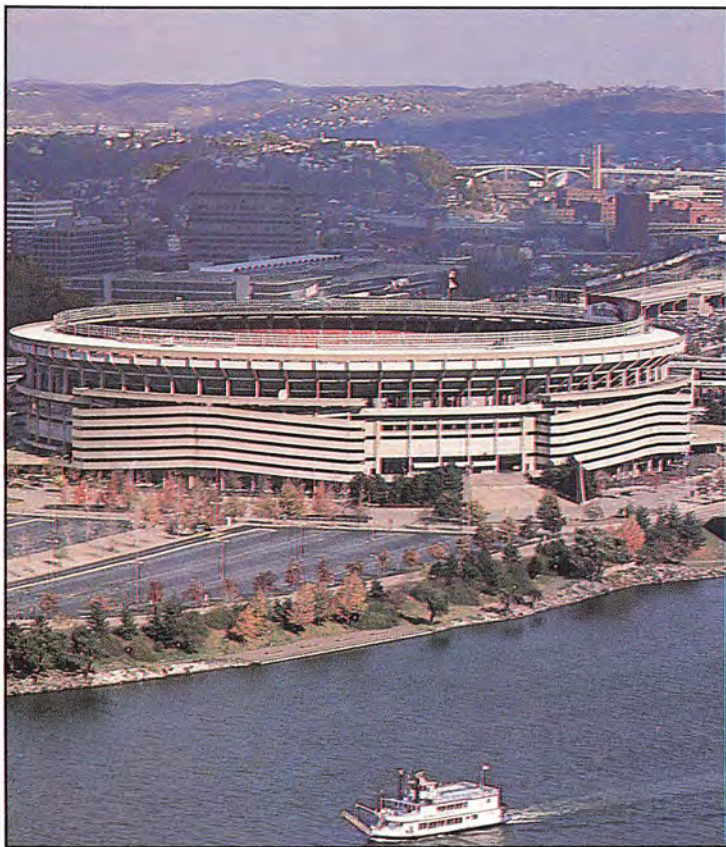
October 2nd—Bonilla and Van Slyke each pick up an RBI in a season ending 8-4 loss to the Cubs at Wrigley Field. Both players finish with an even 100 RBI for the season. The Boston Red Sox with Mike Greenwell (119) and Dwight Evans (111) and the Kansas City Royals with George Brett (103) and Danny Tartabull (102) were the only other clubs in the majors to have two players drive in 100 or more runs.



(TOP) Righthander DOUG DRABEK won seven straight decisions in July and August on his way to a 15-7 record that made him the Bucs' leading winner.

(BOTTOM LEFT) The Pirates honored the memory of Pittsburgh's late mayor, Richard S. Caliguiri, by wearing the initials "RSC" on their uniform jerseys.

(BOTTOM RIGHT) The Pirates set a new all-time attendance record in 1988 as well over 1.8 million fans came through the turnstiles at beautiful Three Rivers Stadium.



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The Pirates' top farm club is Buffalo of the Triple-A American Association. In 1988, the Bisons finished fifth in the league's overall standings with a 72-70 record. Playing at the brand-new Pilot Field (capacity 19,500), Buffalo drew 1,186,651 fans last season and set a new all-time minor league single-season attendance record. The only other minor league club that has ever reached the million mark was the 1983 Louisville Redbirds who drew 1,052,438. The Bisons' 1988 attendance figure included 22 sellouts.

Outfielder BENNY DISTEFANO and catcher TOM PRINCE of Buffalo played in the first-ever Triple-A All-Star game which was played at Pilot Field on July 13th of last season. Distefano batted .263 in 135 games and led the club in home runs (16) and RBI (63). Prince batted .260 with 14 homers and 42 RBI in 86 games before being called up by the Pirates when Junior Ortiz was injured in late July.

In the pitching department, righthander DORN TAYLOR of Buffalo was named to the American Association's postseason All-Star team after compiling a 10-8 record and the circuit's best ERA (2.14). RANDY KRAMER, another Bison righthander, also had a 10-8 record in 1988. He led the league in innings pitched (198.1) and was third in strikeouts (120). SCOTT MEDVIN was Buffalo's top reliever last season, going 5-4 with 12 saves and a 2.41 ERA in 39 appearances.

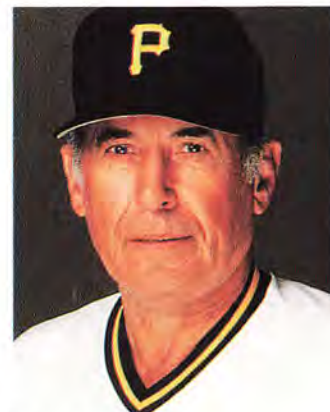
Last September, TERRY COLLINS was named Buffalo's new manager. The 39-year-old Collins managed in the Los Angeles Dodgers' farm system the past eight seasons. He served as manager of the Albuquerque Dukes (AAA) the past five and a half seasons. Collins was named Manager-of-the-Year in the Pacific Coast League in 1988 after leading Albuquerque to an 86-56 record and a first place finish in the South Division. The Dukes lost to eventual league champion Las Vegas (Padres) in the semi-finals. In 1987, Collins was named Minor League Manager-of-The-Year by The Sporting News after guiding Albuquerque to the PCL championship. Collins' teams reached postseason play five times in eight years.

JACKIE BROWN will continue his duties as the Pirates pitching coach at the Triple-A level.

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The 1989 season will be the third straight year that Harrisburg has been the Pirates' Double-A farm club. Professional baseball returned to Harrisburg in 1987 for the first time since 1952. The Senators capped the 1987 season by capturing the Eastern League championship. Last season, Harrisburg compiled a 65-73 record.

DAVE TREMBLEY will return for his third season as manager of the Senators. He was named the Eastern League's Manager-of-the-Year and the Minor League Manager-of-the-Year by Baseball America magazine in 1987. That year Trembley guided the Senators to a 77-63 record during the regular season before going on to defeat Reading (Phillies) and Vermont (Reds) in the postseason play. CHRIS LEIN, who has been a pitching coach in the Pirate organization since 1984, will fill that role for Harrisburg in 1989.

Third baseman JEFF KING, Pittsburgh's number one pick in the June 1986 free agent draft, hit .235 in 117 games with Harrisburg last season and he led the club in home runs (14) and RBI (66). Outfielder JEFF COOK hit .257 and led the Senators in at bats (490), hits (126) and stolen bases (45).

Reliever PAUL WILMET had the best numbers among Harrisburg pitchers last season as he went 8-3 with six saves and a 1.98 ERA in 28 appearances. Righthander LARRY MELTON (7-4, 3.66 ERA) was the Senators' leading winner among the starters. BILL COPP (5-2, 3.71) and BILL SAMPEN (6-3, 3.70) also pitched well for Harrisburg during the 1988 season.

SALEM BUCCANEERS Carolina League (Class A)

Manager: Rocky Bridges	Address: 620 Florida Street
Pitching Coach: Spin Williams	Salem, VA 24153
General Manager: Sam Lazzaro	Telephone: (703) 389-3333
Trainer: Mike Sandoval	Playing Site: Municipal Field

The Salem Buccaneers, Pittsburgh's top Class A farm club, had a 73-66 record last season which earned them a fourth place finish in the Carolina League's final standings. In 1987, Salem posted the league's best record (80-59) on its way to the Carolina League championship.

ROCKY BRIDGES, a veteran of 42 years in professional baseball, will be the manager at Salem in 1989. He managed the Pirates' Triple-A affiliates at Vancouver and Buffalo the past two seasons. Don "Spin" Williams will be the pitching coach. He served as the pitching coach for the Pirates' Double-A affiliates in the Eastern League the last four seasons—1985-86 at Nashua (NH) and 1987-88 at Harrisburg (PA).

Two of the top power-hitting prospects in the Pirates farm system played for Salem in 1988. Outfielder WES CHAMBERLAIN batted .274 with 11 home runs and 50 RBI and first baseman JUNIOR VIZCAINO hit .261 with 11 homers and 58 RBI. Salem's leading winner was righthander MIKE YORK who was 9-2 with a 2.68 ERA in 13 appearances. Reliever STAN BELINDA was 6-4 with 14 saves and a 2.76 ERA.



Rocky Bridges





Stan Cliburn

AUGUSTA PIRATES South Atlantic League (Class A)

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Len Monheimer Playing Site: Heaton Stadium
Trainer: Bruce Klein

Pittsburgh moved its South Atlantic affiliate to Augusta in 1988 after spending four seasons at Macon (GA). The Augusta Pirates' 78-60 record last season was the best won-loss record in the organization. STAN CLIBURN, who managed the Pirates' Watertown (Class A) team last season, will be the manager at Augusta in 1989. TERRY ABBOTT, who is new to the Pirate organization, will be the club's pitching coach.

Outfielder MOISES ALOU, the son of former major leaguer Felipe Alou, enjoyed an outstanding season with Augusta in 1988. The Pirates' number one pick in the January 1985 free agent draft, Alou batted .313 with seven home runs, 62 RBI and 24 stolen bases. First baseman EDDIE HARTMAN, a graduate of Pittsburgh's Seton-LaSalle High School and Indiana University (PA), batted .285 and led the club in home runs (eight) and RBI (72).

Righthanders JOE PACHOLEC and RON DOWNS had outstanding seasons as members of Augusta's starting rotation last year. Pacholec was 12-7 with a league-leading 2.06 ERA in 25 appearances and Downs was 11-6 with a 3.18 ERA in 20 starts. SCOTT RUNGE was 5-0 with eight saves and an 0.83 ERA in 24 appearances out of the Augusta bullpen.

WELLAND PIRATES

New York-Penn League (Class A)

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General Manager: Bill Kuehn 5R3
Trainer: Glenn Trudo Telephone: (416) 735-7634
Playing Site: Welland Sports Complex

Welland (Ontario) becomes the Pirates' Class A affiliate in the New York-Penn League this year, replacing Watertown, (NY) where the Bucs had been since 1983. Last season, Watertown finished fifth in the league with a 35-39 record.

Outfielder DARWIN PENNYE was one of the club's top offensive performers in 1988. He batted .314 with three home runs, 30 RBI and 22 stolen bases and was named to the league's All-Star team. Third baseman JOHN WEHNER, a graduate of Pittsburgh's Carrick High School, batted .275 with three home runs and 31 RBI.

Righthander KEITH RICHARDSON, the Pirates' second round draft pick last summer, was the club's leading winner. He went 6-1 with a 1.21 ERA in eight appearances before being promoted to Augusta. Reliever JOE AUSANIO made 28 appearances, going 2-4 with a 1.32 ERA and a league-leading 13 saves.

Former big league shortstop U.L. WASHINGTON will be the manager at Welland this season and LARRY SMITH will serve as the team's pitching coach. Washington spent the final two years of his 11-year major league career with Pittsburgh.



U.L. Washington



Woody Huyke

BRADENTON PIRATES Gulf Coast League (Rookie)

Manager: Woody Huyke	Address: PO Box 1359
Pitching Coach: Bruce Kison	Bradenton, FL 34206
Business Manager:	Telephone: (913) 747-3031
Bob Carter	Playing Site: McKenchie Field
Trainer: Bill Henry	

Bradenton is Pittsburgh's club in the Gulf Coast League. WOODY HUYKE will manage the club again in 1989 and former Pirate pitcher BRUCE KISON returns for his third season as pitching coach. Huyke has managed at Bradenton every year since 1974. Kison won 115 games in the major leagues and pitched nine seasons for Pittsburgh (1971-1979). He closed out his career in the American League with the California Angels and Boston Red Sox.

Bradenton plays its home games at McKenchie Field which also serves as the site of the Pirates' spring training games. Each year, the majority of the Pirates' draftees and other signees report to Bradenton before being designated for further assignment.

In 1988, Bradenton compiled a 26-37 record and finished fifth in the Gulf Coast League. Sharon (PA) native JEFFREY OSBORNE was one of Bradenton's leading hitters last season. The 21-year-old catcher hit .377 in 21 games before being promoted to Princeton. He was the Pirates' 29th round selection in last summer's free agent draft. Outfielder VALENTINE HENDERSON hit .264 and led the club in games played (49), at bats (193) hits (51) and stolen bases (23).

Righthander JEFF NEELY was one of the club's top pitchers, going 4-3 with three saves and a 2.55 ERA in 14 appearances. Left-hander RON WAY was 3-1 with two saves and a 1.72 ERA. He also struck out 35 batters in 36.2 innings.



Julio Garcia

PRINCETON PIRATES Appalachian League (Rookie)

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General Manager:	Telephone: (304) 425-9546
Glenn Trudo	Playing Site: Hunnicutt Field

Princeton became a minor league affiliate of the Pittsburgh Pirates in February of 1988. The club was added to give the organization's first and second-year players more playing time and a better chance to develop. Last season, the team had a 33-37 record which was good for a third place finish in the Northern Division.

Outfielder MARK THOMAS led the club in home runs (13) and RBI (46). Shortstop AUSTIN MANAHAN, the Pirates' first round selection in last summer's draft, was second in both categories with six home runs and 33 RBI. Righthander ANTONIO FELIX was 3-5 with a 3.32 ERA and he struck out 92 batters in 76 innings. Left-hander JEFF KUDER also had an impressive strikeouts-to-innings-pitched ratio, fanning 68 batters in 63.2 innings.

JULIO GARCIA will manage the Princeton Pirates this season and TOM DETTORE will be the pitching coach. Garcia is in his second season as a manager in the Pirate farm system. Dettore returns for his second season as the Princeton pitching coach. He is a former big league pitcher who spent one season with Pittsburgh (1973) and three with the Chicago Cubs (1974-76).



Hall of Fame shortstop HONUS WAGNER, pictured here as a Pirate coach, won eight National League batting titles with Pittsburgh between 1900 and 1911.

Looking Back

Although professional baseball in Pittsburgh dates back to 1876, it wasn't until 1887 that the franchise gained acceptance into the prestigious National League. Pittsburgh had been a member of the rival American Association, but secured its place in the National League after the Kansas City franchise was expelled. Pittsburgh President W. A. Nimmick's application was accepted and the club, known then as the "Alleghenies," played its first National League game on April 30, 1887.


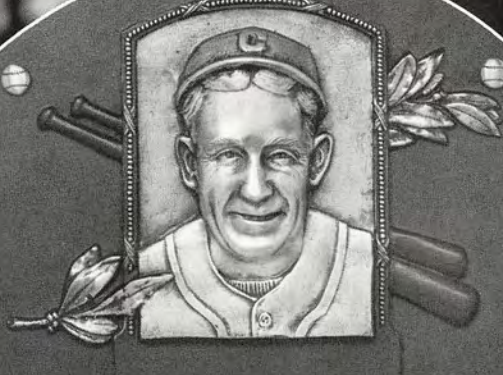
On that historic day, a crowd estimated between nine and ten thousand jammed into Recreation Park to watch the Alleghenies battle defending National League champion Chicago. Righthander James "Pud" Galvin went the distance on the mound and first baseman Alex McKinnon collected four hits as Pittsburgh defeated Chicago, 6-2.

Since then, Pittsburgh has gone on to play more than 15,000 National League contests. The Pirates 85-75 mark in 1988 brought their cumulative record to 7,988 and 7,470 in 102 seasons, which reflects a .517 all-time winning percentage. Pittsburgh has captured the championship of the National League nine times and been crowned World Champion on five different occasions.

The Pirates struggled in their early years in the National League. In fact, the 1890 team set a club record for losses which still stands today by winning only 23 games and losing 113. Pittsburgh's best club in terms of number of victories was the 1909 team, which also was its first World Championship club. The Pirates won a franchise record 110 games during the regular season that year and went on to edge Detroit, four games to three, in the World Series. Pirate shortstop Honus Wagner badly outplayed Detroit star Ty Cobb in a showdown of the rival leagues' best players.

Pittsburgh's other world titles have come in 1925 against Washington, 1960 against the New York Yankees, and 1971 and 1979 against Baltimore. St. Louis (nine) is the only National League club that has won more World Championships than the Pirates.

There was no World Series for the Pirates to participate in when they took N.L. crowns in 1901 and 1902. Pittsburgh owner Barney Dreyfuss is sometimes called the "father of the World Series" because it was he who boldly challenged the American League champion Boston Red Sox to the first postseason series involving the two leagues. So it was on October 1, 1903, that Deacon Phillippe and the Pirates defeated Boston's Cy Young,

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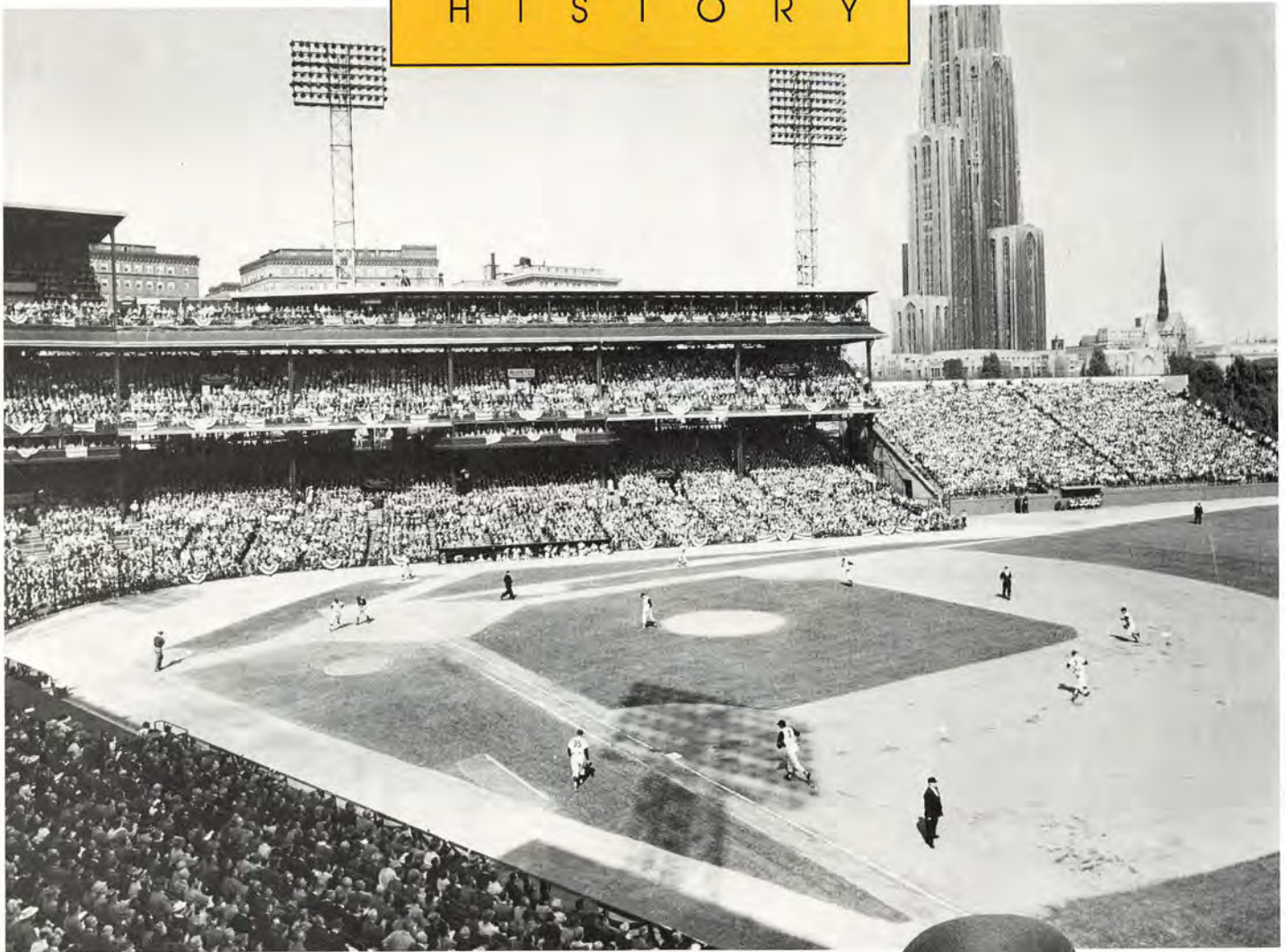
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7-3, in the first World Series game ever played. The Red Sox did, however, overcome a three-games-to-one deficit to win the best-of-nine series, 5-3. Pittsburgh's other World Series loss came at the hands of what was arguably one of the best clubs of all time—Babe Ruth and the 1927 New York Yankees.

Pittsburgh became known as the "Pirates" in 1891 and the story involves little-known second baseman Lou Bierbauer. In 1890, a number of Pittsburgh's star players jumped to the Players Brotherhood League in a dispute over low salaries. Many players from both the National League and the American Association did the same. When the Players Brotherhood League disbanded shortly thereafter, all players were ordered back to their original teams. Bierbauer had been the property of the Philadelphia Athletics of the American Association. However, because of a clerical error his name did not appear on their list and Pittsburgh signed him as a free agent. Clubs in the American Association were outraged by Pittsburgh's "piratical" actions. Thus, it was at that point that the team began to be referred to as the "Pirates."

Eleven of the more than 200 players who are currently enshrined in the National Baseball Hall of Fame made their mark on the game as members of the Pittsburgh Pirates. They are (years with Pirates in parenthesis): shortstop Honus Wagner (1900-17), outfielder-manager Fred Clarke (1900-15), third baseman Pie Traynor (1920-37), outfielder Paul Waner (1926-40), outfielder Max Carey (1910-26), outfielder Lloyd Waner (1927-41), outfielder Kiki Cuyler (1921-27), outfielder Roberto Clemente (1955-72), outfielder Ralph Kiner (1946-53), shortstop Arky Vaughan (1932-41), and first baseman-outfielder Willie Stargell (1962-1982).



(TOP) FORBES FIELD, pictured here during the 1960 World Series, was home for the Pirates from 1909 until the opening of Three Rivers Stadium in 1970.

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These players and many others have given Pirate fans plenty to cheer about over the years. Some highlights that stand out in baseball history include: Wagner's eight batting titles, Kiner's seven consecutive home run championships, Dale Long's streak of homers in eight consecutive games (1956), Harvey Haddix' 12-inning perfect game (1959), Elroy Face's 18 straight wins in relief (1959), Bill Mazeroski's home run that won the 1960 World Series, Clemente's marvelous showing in the 1971 World Series, Rennie Stennett's famous 7-for-7 afternoon at Chicago (1975), Stargell's MVP performance in the 1979 World Series, and Bobby Bonilla's home runs from both sides of the plate in a game against Los Angeles (1987) and Philadelphia (1988).



The Pirates have played their home games at Three Rivers Stadium since the mid-way point of the 1970 season. Pittsburgh lost to Cincinnati, 3-2, on July 16, 1970, in the first game ever played at the beautiful stadium that sits at the point where the Allegheny, Monongahela and Ohio Rivers meet.

The move to Three Rivers Stadium coincided with the Pirates establishing themselves as a powerhouse in the National League's Eastern Division. The Pirates were one of baseball's most successful teams during the 1970's, winning six divisional titles (1970-71-72-74-75-79) and two World Championships (1971-79). They amassed a 916-695 won-loss record during the decade which was good for a .569 winning percentage. The Pirates were the only National League team to finish no lower than third during the 1970's and they did that only once (1973).



Fans have witnessed many special moments at Three Rivers Stadium including: Bob Gibson's no-hitter over the Pirates (1971), the first night game in World Series history (1971), Clemente's 3000th hit (1972), four upper deck home runs by Stargell (last one 1973), the Major League Baseball All-Star Game (1974), John Candelaria's no-hitter over Los Angeles (1976) and the Pirates single-game attendance record of 54,089 on Opening Day 1988. Other parks the Pirates have called home over the years include Recreation Park (1887-1890), Exposition Park (1891-1908) and Forbes Field (1909-1970).

(PHOTOS FROM UPPER LEFT) Pittsburgh's HARVEY HADDIX threw what many still consider the greatest game of all time when he took a perfect game into the 13th inning against Milwaukee on May 26, 1959. BILL MAZEROSKI became a baseball legend after hitting the historic home run that beat the New York Yankees in Game #7 in the 1960 World Series. Manager DANNY MURTAUGH embraces longtime Pirate owner JOHN GALBREATH in the victorious Pittsburgh locker room after Game #7 of the 1971 World Series. Pittsburgh's RALPH KINER, pictured here with New York Giant's slugger Johnny Mize, won seven consecutive National League home run titles between 1946 and 1952.

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YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORDS

The 1979 Pittsburgh Pirates



Year	W	L	Pct.	Pos.	Manager
1887	55	69	.444	6	H.B. Phillips
1888	66	68	.492	6	H.B. Phillips
1889	61	71	.462	5	Phillips, Dunlap & Hanlon
1890	23	113	.169	8	Guy Hecker
1891	55	80	.467	8	Hanlon & McGunnigle
1892	80	73	.527	6	Buckenberger & Burns
1893	81	48	.628	2	A.C. Buckenberger
1894	65	65	.500	7	Buckenberger & Mack
1895	71	61	.539	7	Connie Mack
1896	66	63	.512	6	Connie Mack
1897	60	71	.454	8	P.J. Donovan
1898	72	76	.486	8	W.H. Watkins
1899	75	72	.510	7	W.H. Watkins, P.J. Donovan
1900	79	60	.568	2	Fred Clarke
1901	90	49	.647	1**	Fred Clarke
1902	103	36	.741	1**	Fred Clarke
1903	91	49	.650	1**	Fred Clarke
1904	87	66	.569	4	Fred Clarke
1905	96	57	.627	2	Fred Clarke
1906	93	60	.608	3	Fred Clarke
1907	91	63	.591	2	Fred Clarke
1908	98	56	.636	2t	Fred Clarke
1909	110	42	.724	1***	Fred Clarke
1910	86	67	.562	3	Fred Clarke
1911	85	69	.552	3	Fred Clarke
1912	93	58	.612	2	Fred Clarke
1913	78	71	.523	4	Fred Clarke
1914	69	85	.448	7	Fred Clarke
1915	73	81	.474	5	Fred Clarke
1916	65	89	.422	6	Jimmy Callahan
1917	51	103	.331	8	Callahan, Wagner & Bezdek
1918	65	60	.520	4	Hugo Bezdek
1919	71	68	.511	4	Hugo Bezdek
1920	79	75	.513	4	George Gibson
1921	90	63	.588	2	George Gibson
1922	85	69	.552	3t	Gibson & McKechnie
1923	87	67	.565	3	W.B. McKechnie
1924	90	63	.588	3	W.B. McKechnie
1925	95	58	.621	1***	W.B. McKechnie
1926	84	69	.549	3	W.B. McKechnie
1927	94	60	.610	1**	Donie Bush
1928	85	67	.559	4	Donie Bush
1929	88	65	.575	2	Bush & Ens
1930	80	74	.519	5	Jewel Ens
1931	75	79	.487	5	Jewel Ens
1932	86	68	.558	2	George Gibson
1933	87	67	.565	2	George Gibson
1934	74	76	.493	5	Gibson & Traynor
1935	86	67	.562	4	Pie Traynor
1936	84	70	.545	4	Pie Traynor
1937	86	68	.558	3	Pie Traynor
1938	86	64	.573	2	Pie Traynor
1939	68	85	.444	6	Pie Traynor

Year	W	L	Pct.	Pos.	Manager
1940	78	76	.506	4	Frank F. Frisch
1941	81	73	.526	4	Frank F. Frisch
1942	66	81	.449	5	Frank F. Frisch
1943	80	74	.519	4	Frank F. Frisch
1944	90	63	.588	2	Frank F. Frisch
1945	82	72	.532	4	Frank F. Frisch
1946	63	91	.409	7	Frisch & Davis
1947	62	92	.403	7t	Herman & Burwell
1948	83	71	.539	4	William A. Meyer
1949	71	83	.461	6	William A. Meyer
1950	57	96	.373	8	William A. Meyer
1951	64	90	.416	7	William A. Meyer
1952	42	112	.273	8	William A. Meyer
1953	50	104	.325	8	Fred G. Haney
1954	53	101	.344	8	Fred G. Haney
1955	60	94	.390	8	Fred G. Haney
1956	66	88	.429	7	Robert R. Bragan
1957	62	92	.403	7t	Bragan & Murtaugh (26-25)
1958	84	70	.545	2	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1959	78	76	.506	4	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1960	95	59	.617	1***	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1961	75	79	.487	6	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1962	93	68	.578	4	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1963	74	88	.457	8	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1964	80	82	.494	6t	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1965	90	72	.556	3	Harry W. Walker
1966	92	70	.568	3	Harry W. Walker
1967	81	81	.500	6	Walker & Murtaugh (39-39)
1968	80	82	.494	6	Larry Shepard
1969†	88	74	.543	3	Larry Shepard (84-73) Alex Grammas (4-1)
1970	89	73	.549	1*	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1971	97	65	.599	1***	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1972	96	59	.619	1*	William C. Virdon
1973	80	82	.494	3	William C. Virdon (67-69) Daniel E. Murtaugh (13-13)
1974	88	74	.543	1*	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1975	92	69	.571	1*	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1976	92	70	.568	2	Daniel E. Murtaugh
1977	96	66	.593	2	Charles W. Tanner
1978	88	73	.547	2	Charles W. Tanner
1979	98	64	.605	1***	Charles W. Tanner
1980	83	79	.512	3	Charles W. Tanner
1981	46	56	.451	4#	
(1st Half)	25	23	.521	4	Charles W. Tanner
(2nd Half)	21	33	.389	6	Charles W. Tanner
1982	84	78	.519	4	Charles W. Tanner
1983	84	78	.519	2	Charles W. Tanner
1984	75	87	.463	6	Charles W. Tanner
1985	57	104	.354	6	Charles W. Tanner
1986	64	98	.395	6	James R. Leyland
1987	80	82	.494	4t	James R. Leyland
1988	85	75	.531	2	James R. Leyland



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Kent Tekulve	722
Bob Friend	568
Vernon Law	483
Babe Adams	483
Wilbur Cooper	469
Dave Giusti	410
Sam Leever	388
Rip Sewell	385
Don Robinson	343

Innings Pitched

Bob Friend	3481
Wilbur Cooper	3201
Babe Adams	2991
Vernon Law	2673
Sam Leever	2645
Deacon Phillippe	2283
Rip Sewell	2108
Ray Kremer	1955
Bob Veale	1869
John Candelaria	1854

Saves

Kent Tekulve	158
Dave Giusti	133
Jim Gott	47
Don Robinson	43
Ramon Hernandez	39
Grant Jackson	36
Rod Scurry	34
Rich Gossage	26
Enrique Romo	26
Cecilio Guante	20

Wins

Wilbur Cooper	202
Sam Leever	194
Babe Adams	194
Bob Friend	191
Deacon Phillippe	165
Vernon Law	162
Rip Sewell	143
Ray Kremer	143
John Candelaria	124
Bob Veale	116

Strikeouts

Bob Friend	1682
Bob Veale	1652
Wilbur Cooper	1191
John Candelaria	1142
Vernon Law	1092
Babe Adams	1036
Steve Blass	896
Dock Ellis	869
Deacon Phillippe	853
Rick Rhoden	852

Shutouts

Babe Adams	47
Sam Leever	39
Bob Friend	35
Wilbur Cooper	34
Lefty Leifield	29
Vernon Law	28
Deacon Phillippe	25
Vic Willis	23
Rip Sewell	20
Bob Veale	20



Pie Traynor

Batting Leaders

Games

Roberto Clemente	2433
Honus Wagner	2432
Willie Stargell	2360
Max Carey	2171
Bill Mazerowski	2163
Paul Waner	2154
Pie Traynor	1941
Lloyd Waner	1803
Tommy Leach	1548
Fred Clarke	1442

Home Runs

Willie Stargell	475
Ralph Kiner	301
Roberto Clemente	240
Dave Parker	166
Frank Thomas	163
Bill Mazerowski	138
Al Oliver	135
Richie Hebner	128
Dick Stuart	117
Bill Robinson	109

Stolen Bases

Max Carey	688
Honus Wagner	639
Omar Moreno	412
Fred Clarke	261
Tommy Leach	249
Frank Taveras	206
Carson Bigbee	182
Ginger Beaumont	169
Pie Traynor	158
Lee Lacy	140



Roberto Clemente

Hits

Roberto Clemente	3000
Honus Wagner	2970
Paul Waner	2868
Pie Traynor	2416
Max Carey	2416
Lloyd Waner	2317
Willie Stargell	2232
Bill Mazerowski	2016
Arky Vaughan	1709
Fred Clarke	1638

Runs

Honus Wagner	1520
Paul Waner	1492
Roberto Clemente	1416
Max Carey	1414
Willie Stargell	1195
Pie Traynor	1183
Lloyd Waner	1151
Fred Clarke	1017
Tommy Leach	1007
Arky Vaughan	936

Runs Batted In

Willie Stargell	1540
Honus Wagner	1475
Roberto Clemente	1305
Pie Traynor	1273
Paul Waner	1177
Bill Mazerowski	853
Ralph Kiner	801
Gus Suhr	789
Arky Vaughan	764
Dave Parker	758

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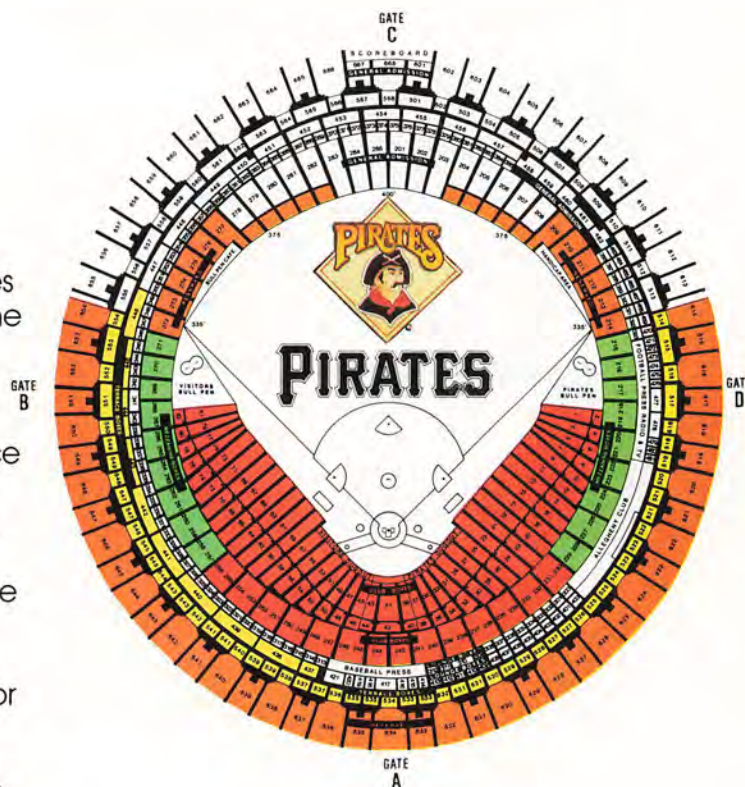
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